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DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS - CANADA
INTERNAL TRADE BRANCH

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

The general index for 112 common stocks advanced from 110.2 for the week of December 26 to 111.4 for the week of January 2 after showing a fractional decline for the two previous weeks. The comparative index for last year was 90.6. In the Industrial section, all sub-groups were higher and the index rose from 176.1 for December 26 to 178.3 for January 2. For the week ending January 3, 1935, the index was 130.0. Twenty Utilities were less active than other groups, registering a gain of only 0.4 points, the index being 49.8 for the week ending January 2 as compared with 49.4 for the previous week and 48.5 for the same week in 1935. International Petroleum and Brazilian were responsible for a further increase in the index of five Companies located abroad from 120.1 for December 26 to 121.4 for January 2. For the corresponding week last year the index was 111.6.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined further from 74.2 for the week ending December 27 to 73.3 for the week ending January 3. In the week just passed yields ranged from 3.08 to 3.75 with an average of 3.40 while for the preceding week they varied from 3.16 to 3.76 and averaged 3.44. During the first few days trading was light with a firm undertone but after the New Year a strong demand developed resulting in a heavy turnover in the longer-term issues.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Jan.2	1935 Dec.26	1935 Jan.3	1936 Jan.2	1935 Dec.26	1935 Jan.3
	$	$	$			
Bathurst Power & Paper	13.2	11.1	6.2	6,130	1,680	427
Bell Telephone	141.0	139.7	129.5	431	396	708
Brazilian	10.2	9.9	10.7	15,032	12,502	16,725
British American Oil	16.5	16.0	15.0	16,344	5,337	1,727
Canadian Celanese	27.9	26.1	22.7	1,970	710	1,615
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	11.0	11.1	7.6	10,778	7,126	6,335
Canada Northern Power	24.1	22.3	18.4	1,285	525	371
Canadian Pacific Railway	11.4	11.0	11.6	7,524	6,737	4,639
Consolidated Smelters	205.4	204.4	136.0	1,440	483	976
Consumers Gas	188.6	188.8	189.6	160	155	325
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	34.7	34.6	17.0	3,217	4,685	4,982
Fanny Farmer	13.6	13.8	9.0	2,945	1,900	5,215
Ford "A"	25.0	25.0	28.8	3,553	2,256	20,373
International Nickel	45.6	44.4	23.7	26,772	38,297	19,726
Jamaica Public Service	32.7	33.1	-	1,095	881	-
Lake of the Woods	18.2	17.3	13.1	1,935	3,678	317
Loblaw "A & B"	18.7	18.5	18.1	1,817	1,123	3,390
Massey-Harris	6.2	6.1	5.4	7,319	1,915	11,250
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	31.7	32.2	30.9	3,192	2,705	4,575
National Breweries	39.5	39.2	31.8	1,053	1,085	4,251
Noranda	44.8	44.5	-	4,426	2,578	-
Shawinigan	19.8	20.3	19.7	1,959	1,783	9,786
Steel of Canada	57.0	56.6	46.8	1,818	1,090	1,929
Union Gas	8.8	8.1	4.3	6,913	1,376	1,980
Walkers	32.9	31.6	27.6	3,823	2,691	10,654
TOTAL SALES				132,931	103,694	132,276

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1935.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co., Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, [x] 1935-1936
(1926=100)

August	2	71.6
	9	71.4
	16	70.3
	23	71.5
	30	73.4
September	6	73.6
	13	75.4
	20	83.4
	27	83.3
October	4	83.8
	11	82.1
	18	77.9
	25	75.6
November	1	75.7
	8	74.8
	15	74.1
	22	74.3
	29	74.8
December	6	74.8
	13	75.2
	20	74.4
	27	74.2
January	3	73.3

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926=100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				COMPANIES ABROAD			
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Total	Industrial	Utility	Grand+ Total
1935	87	15	6	4	4	10	19	8	21	20	2	2	16	5	1	4	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	311.0	383.8	118.2	267.4	416.8	110.1	193.8	201.4	507.2	163.6	160.6	125.6	192.7	213.3	191.5	285.0	235.4
Low	194.0	196.1	73.1	191.9	248.3	74.5	131.8	89.1	247.0	124.8	117.1	108.3	131.1	122.5	117.4	138.1	155.8
x 1931 - High	127.2	146.3	24.6	107.9	186.8	60.6	132.6	77.6	167.2	113.4	106.9	105.6	128.4	84.4	86.7	95.7	115.1
Low	68.1	71.5	9.0	47.8	98.0	40.2	89.9	40.6	80.3	53.8	31.7	81.3	74.6	42.4	51.0	33.6	58.8
x 1932 - High	72.0	75.8	9.0	61.2	110.6	40.2	90.8	48.5	89.9	59.3	48.1	81.1	74.5	52.9	70.1	46.3	62.9
Low	44.0	36.8	1.4	34.9	78.3	24.0	66.5	27.3	39.1	30.5	20.2	52.0	37.5	41.2	50.8	28.5	38.6
x 1933 - High	131.4	106.2	12.4	87.6	168.4	65.1	157.5	241.9	158.6	64.5	53.4	88.5	74.4	92.0	137.1	64.6	97.7
Low	56.9	44.1	2.5	38.0	87.7	30.7	82.3	39.8	66.9	37.3	23.7	62.3	47.7	47.0	67.6	30.3	49.0
x 1934 - High	135.4	128.7	13.4	79.5	184.3	78.4	142.4	195.5	198.3	60.3	45.6	98.0	72.8	117.0	196.8	53.2	99.0
Low	113.4	83.8	7.6	63.9	141.8	60.4	122.0	94.7	154.4	45.4	28.5	84.8	57.1	81.6	123.4	35.6	82.8
1934																	
November	125.3	111.4	11.0	66.0	180.8	74.3	128.1	98.4	164.6	46.5	28.6	93.7	57.5	111.2	191.8	39.6	87.8
December	125.6	119.8	11.6	71.0	177.8	74.3	130.3	98.6	166.2	47.5	29.1	97.6	58.5	109.0	187.4	39.4	87.9
1935																	
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	108.0	187.4	36.9	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	64.1	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	107.5	186.1	37.2	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	104.8	184.2	32.9	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	110.2	194.7	33.4	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	125.9	224.5	35.6	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	124.5	222.6	34.5	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	119.4	214.5	31.9	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	122.7	222.5	30.1	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	119.9	217.5	29.3	97.5
October	152.9	123.0	12.6	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	217.5	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	123.0	224.3	28.7	100.0
November	170.3	127.8	14.6	66.9	228.7	69.0	145.7	157.3	254.4	50.9	27.9	105.1	66.1	130.8	233.6	36.7	110.4
Weekly Index Numbers																	
1935																	
January 3	130.0	129.8	12.8	72.5	182.0	75.2	135.5	101.6	171.0	48.5	29.1	98.8	60.8	111.6	192.4	40.0	90.6
December 5th	175.6	124.6	15.0	75.4	215.0	69.4	147.9	161.7	285.8	50.9	29.3	108.4	63.8	124.3	219.0	38.3	111.4
December 12th	180.5	126.3	15.5	75.0	215.8	70.5	148.5	165.4	300.5	50.5	29.6	109.4	62.5	125.5	221.5	38.2	113.3
December 19th	176.1	124.5	16.0	76.2	217.9	70.1	148.7	156.2	285.6	49.4	27.8	107.6	62.3	123.5	218.4	37.1	110.8
December 26th	176.1	124.3	16.3	77.6	212.0	70.7	148.8	154.3	291.5	49.4	27.6	106.5	62.7	120.1	211.0	37.8	110.2
1936																	
January 2nd	178.3	125.3	17.3	78.6	212.6	72.1	149.5	155.1	297.9	49.8	28.6	107.5	62.4	121.4	212.8	38.9	111.4

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926-100)

Firmer prices accompanied by heavy trading caused the index for 112 common stocks to advance from 111.4 for the week ending January 2 to 112.8 for the week of January 9. The comparative index for last year was 91.3. In the Industrial section, all sub-groups with the exception of Beverages and Miscellaneous were higher, and a gain was registered for the second successive week. The index was 180.2 for January 9 as compared with 178.3 for the previous week and 131.3 for the corresponding week last year. Twenty-three Utilities followed the lead of Industrials, and the index rose from 49.8 for the week of January 2 to 50.8 for the week of January 9. The three sub-groups were higher and Bell Telephone reached a new peak for the past four years. For the week ending January 10, 1935 the Utility index was 50.3.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined further from 73.3 for the week ending January 3 to 73.1 for the week ending January 10. This, the fourth successive week of recession, was the lowest point reached since August and compares with 70.5 for the corresponding week of last year. Yields ranged from 3.06 to 3.73 and averaged 3.47.

Two issues have been dropped from the index this week viz.,

5% - 15 October, 1943
4½% - 15 October, 1944

and the following were substituted

4½% - 1 November 1947-57
3% - 1 June 1950-55

The last of these is really comprised of two issues subscribed in 1935 with terms nearly identical which are united for the purpose of weighting.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Jan.9	1936 Jan.2	1935 Jan.10	1936 Jan.9	1936 Jan.2	1935 Jan.10
	$	$	$			
Bathurst Power and Paper	13.7	13.2	6.6	5,231	6,130	880
Bell Telephone	144.7	141.0	129.5	872	431	1,008
Brazilian	10.0	10.2	10.0	12,193	15,032	9,377
British American Oil	19.1	16.5	15.3	70,649	16,344	2,962
Canadian Celanese	29.9	27.9	23.3	4,255	1,970	475
Canadian Ind.Alcohol "A"	10.6	11.0	7.9	6,826	10,778	5,882
Canadian Pacific Railway	11.8	11.4	12.8	22,655	7,524	25,872
Consolidated Smelters	202.9	205.4	129.0	1,300	1,440	1,015
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	33.4	34.7	17.8	9,935	3,217	2,750
Dominion Bridge	33.3	31.9	30.1	1,966	937	7,932
Fanny Farmer	13.4	13.6	9.0	4,266	2,945	6,764
Ford "A"	25.6	25.0	30.3	3,267	3,553	28,390
Gypsum Lime and Alabastine	7.4	6.8	7.1	10,695	1,550	6,645
Hollinger	14.5	13.9	11.5	6,235	1,410	1,511
Imperial Tobacco	14.0	14.0	13.7	5,678	1,565	4,007
International Nickel	45.2	45.6	23.8	28,155	26,772	15,152
McColl-Frontenac Oil	13.6	12.4	14.8	22,240	1,819	10,128
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	32.4	31.7	31.2	6,410	3,192	10,704
Moore	28.6	27.9	17.9	1,885	319	1,329
National Breweries	39.5	39.5	32.0	1,965	1,053	3,901
Noranda	45.0	44.8	-	5,783	4,426	-
Power Corporation	12.4	11.1	10.0	5,646	1,435	637
Shawinigan	20.0	19.8	19.6	4,191	1,959	2,546
Steel of Canada	58.8	57.0	47.5	2,719	1,818	2,306
Walkers	32.8	32.9	29.9	5,936	3,823	23,074
TOTAL SALES				250,953	121,442	175,247

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

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(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co.,Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, [x]1935-1936.
(1926=100)

August	2	71.6
	9	71.4
	16	70.3
	23	71.5
	30	73.4
September	6	73.6
	13	75.4
	20	83.4
	27	83.3
October	4	83.8
	11	82.1
	18	77.9
	25	75.6
November	1	75.7
	8	74.8
	15	74.1
	22	74.3
	29	74.8
December	6	74.8
	13	75.2
	20	74.4
	27	74.2
January	3	73.3
	10	73.1

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

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Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	INDUSTRIALS Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 9	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	UTILITIES Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	Grand+ Total 112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.7	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
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Weekly Index Numbers														
1935														
January 10th	131.3	130.6	14.0	72.5	182.5	76.6	136.2	107.0	172.3	50.3	32.1	98.8	61.5	91.3
December 19th	176.1	124.5	16.0	76.2	217.9	70.1	148.7	156.2	285.6	49.4	27.8	107.6	62.3	110.8
December 26th	176.1	124.3	16.3	77.6	212.0	70.7	148.8	154.3	291.5	49.4	27.6	106.5	62.7	110.2
1936														
January 2nd	178.3	125.3	17.3	78.6	212.6	72.1	149.5	155.1	297.9	49.8	28.6	107.5	62.4	111.4
January 9th	180.2	128.8	18.6	79.5	217.5	74.9	152.1	152.6	295.9	50.8	29.6	110.3	63.2	112.8

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included.

REVISION OF INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS

Beginning January 1936, the group formerly termed "Companies Abroad" will be discontinued. In recent years it has dwindled until at the present time only four issues remain eligible for inclusion in this category, and these reveal no uniformity of tendency which would justify a separate group. The four remaining stocks have been distributed among the various industrial and utility sub-groups to which they belong and will still exert exactly the same influence upon the composite Investors' Index of 112 stocks.

In this bulletin there appear for the first time revised high and low weekly indexes for the years 1929 to 1934 inclusive, which will bring these figures into line with indexes currently being published. This is merely carrying back minor revisions which were made in February, 1935. It does not affect indexes which have been published subsequently.

The usual annual revision of the list of stocks included in the Investors' index has resulted in the removal of the following issues which have ceased to be traded actively: Blue Ribbon, Foreign Power, Hamilton United Theatres, International Utilities "B", and Traymore.

New additions made in January 1936 include: Associated Breweries, National Grocers, Ottawa Traction, Regent Knitting and St.Lawrence Flour Mills.

The complete list of stocks currently used in computing the Investors' Price Index Number of Common Stocks is as follows:

Industrials (89)

Iron and Steel: (15) Beatty Bros., Canadian Car and Foundry, Cockshutt Plow Co., Dominion Bridge, Dominion Steel and Coal "B", Eastern Steel Products, Ford "A", General Steel Wares, Hamilton Bridge, Kelvinator, Massey-Harris, National Steel Car, Page-Hersey, Steel of Canada, United Steel.

Pulp and Paper: (6) Abitibi, Bathurst Power & Paper, Drydon Paper Co., Hinde and Dauch, Howard Smith, St.Lawrence Corporation.

Milling: (5) Lake of the Woods, Maple Leaf, Ogilvie, Western Canada Flour, and St.Lawrence Flour.

Oils: (5) British American Oil, Canadian Oil, Imperial Oil, International Petroleum, McColl-Frontenac Oil.

Textiles and Clothing: (11) Bruck Silk, Canadian Celanese, Canadian Converters, Canadian Cottons, Cosmos Imperial, Dominion Textile, Penmans, Regent Knitting, Riverside "A", Tip-Top Tailors,Wabasso Cotton.

Food and Allied Products: (18) Alberta Pacific Grain, British Columbia Packers, Canada Bread, Canada Packers, Canadian Canners, Consolidated Bakeries, Dominion Stores, Eastern Dairies, Fanny Farmer Stores, Hunts "A", Imperial Tobacco, Loblaw, Laura Secord, National Grocers, Simon H. and Sons Ltd., Viau Biscuit, Western Grocers, Weston Co.

Beverages: (9) Brewers and Distillers, Canadian Industrial Alcohol "A" and "B", Canadian Wineries, Associated Breweries, Distillers Corporation - Seagram, Chas. Gurd, National Breweries, Walkers G & W.

Miscellaneous: (20) Agnew Surpass, Building Products, F.N. Burt, Canadian Bronze, Canada Cement, Canadian Dredge and Dry Dock, Canadian General Electric, Consolidated Mining and Smelting, Crow's Nest Coal, Dominion Glass, Foundation Co., Gypsum, Lime and Alabastine, International Nickel, Moore Corporation, National Sewer Pipe "A", Photo Engravers, Pressed Metals, Sherwin-Williams, Simpsons "A" and "B".

Domestic Utilities (23)

Transporation: (2) Canada Steamship Lines and Canadian Pacific Railway.

Telephone and Telegraph: (2) Bell Telephone and Montreal Telegraph.

Power and Traction: (19) Beauharnois, Brazilian Light, Heat and Power, British Columbia Power "A" and "B", Canada Northern Power Corp., Consumers' Gas, International Power, International Utilities "A", Montreal Light, Heat and Power, Montreal Tramways, Ottawa Light, Heat and Power, Ottawa Traction, Power Corporation, Quebec Power, Shawinigan, Southern Canada Power, Union Gas, Winnipeg Electric, Twin City.

Banks (9)

Canada, Canadienne Nationale, Commerce, Dominion, Imperial, Montreal, Nova Scotia, Royal, Toronto.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Common stocks showed much activity during the past week and firmer prices developed with gains dominating the movement on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges. As a result, the general index for 112 common stocks mounted from 112.8 for the week of January 9 to 116.2 for the week of January 16. The comparative index for 1935 was 89.5. Industrials recorded a moderate advance for the third consecutive week, the index being 187.2 for the week ending January 16 as compared with 180.2 for the previous week and 128.7 for the corresponding week in 1935. In this section all sub-groups with the exception of Beverages were higher. Twenty Utilities remained unchanged at 50.8 for the week of January 16, the drop in price of C.P.R. in the Transportation sub-group counterbalancing gains in the other two sub-groups. For the week ending January 17, 1935, the index was 49.8.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Jan.16	1936 Jan.9	1935 Jan.17	1936 Jan.16	1936 Jan.9	1935 Jan.17
	$	$	$			
Bell Telephone	146.1	144.7	131.8	1,115	872	830
Brazilian	9.9	10.0	9.5	13,025	12,193	14,554
British American Oil	21.1	19.1	15.2	68.401	70,649	715
Canada Cement	7.2	6.5	7.5	10,139	3,469	1,514
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	10.5	10.6	8.8	32,848	6,826	37,831
Canadian Pacific Railway	11.5	11.8	12.5	7,820	22,655	14,421
Consolidated Smelters	206.8	202.9	134.0	1,622	1,300	502
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	32.1	33.4	16.3	10,480	9,935	3,015
Dominion Bridge	34.8	33.3	27.2	3,812	1,966	5,136
Fanny Farmer	13.7	13.4	8.9	6,713	4,266	1,035
Ford "A"	25.6	25.6	30.2	4,185	3,267	14,412
Gypsum Lime & Alabastine	8.1	7.4	6.8	15,085	10,695	2,610
Hollinger	15.2	14.5	12.1	17,395	6,235	5,900
International Nickel	46.2	45.2	22.9	54,467	28,155	12,564
Jamaica Public Service	33.2	33.1	-	2,296	1,465	-
Loblaw	18.6	18.6	17.9	9,822	2,413	1,524
McColl-Frontenac Oil	14.6	13.6	15.1	18,664	22,240	5,728
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	32.9	32.4	30.8	11,400	6,410	7,163
National Breweries	39.7	39.5	32.3	2,460	1,965	2,503
Noranda	46.8	45.0	-	8,448	5,783	-
Shawinigan	20.2	20.0	18.8	2,866	4,191	1,904
Sherwin-Williams	19.4	18.8	15.5	3,290	1,391	630
Steel of Canada	59.3	58.8	45.0	1,815	2,719	1,959
Walkers	32.4	32.8	29.0	6,882	5,936	9,478
Weston Ltd.	16.3	15.5	43.5	4,665	3,340	2,267
TOTAL SALES				319,715	240,336	148,195

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS.
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields moved upward again ollowing a decline in the preceding week advancing to 73.3 for the week ending January 7 as compared with 73.1 for the week ending January 10. Yields ranged from 3.08 to .75 and averaged 3.47. For the first few days a firmer tendency was apparent but on ne 16th a decline set in which lowered the daily average to 3.43 for the final day, or 05 below that of the previous Friday. The success of the new Canadian issue at New ork was considered to have had an encouraging influence upon domestic markets, and a een demand for the shorter term issues stimulated trading to some extent.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1935.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co., Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
anuary	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
ebruary	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
arch	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
pril	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
ay	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
une	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
uly	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
ugust	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
eptember	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
ctober	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
ovember	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
ecember	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
anuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9
ebruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2
arch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4
pril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2
ay	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4
une	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4
uly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1
ugust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6
eptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8
ctober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9
ovember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5
ecember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, x1935-1936.
(1926=100)

November	1	75.7
	8	74.8
	15	74.1
	22	74.3
	29	74.8
December	6	74.8
	13	75.2
	20	74.4
	27	74.2
January	3	73.3
	10	73.1
	17	73.3

Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926 =100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 9	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	+ Grand Total 112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.7	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
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January 16th	187.2	129.8	18.9	80.7	232.2	75.7	152.9	150.7	301.8	50.8	28.8	111.4	63.7	116.2

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Irregularly higher prices prevailed on stock markets during the past week and the general index for 112 common stocks advanced from 116.2 for the week of January 16 to 117.8 for the week of January 23. This was the maximum since October 9, 1930. The comparative index for last year was 90.6. Industrials registered a further advance for the week ending January 23, the index being 190.6 as compared with 187.2 for the preceding week and 128.9 for the corresponding week in 1935. Consolidated Smelters, International Nickel and International Petroleum showed the largest individual gains and all sub-groups with the exception of Iron and Steel and Milling were higher. After remaining unchanged at 50.8 for two weeks twenty Utilities lost 0.2 points placing the index at 50.6 for the week of January 23. The price of Bell Telephone continued higher while C.P.R. and Montreal Telegraph dropped back. For the week ending January 24, 1935, the index was 51.1

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MERKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Jan.23	1936 Jan.16	1935 Jan.24	1936 Jan.23	1936 Jan.16	1935 Jan.24
	$	$	$			
Bathurst Power & Paper	14.0	13.4	6.4	6,645	2,407	1,030
Bell Telephone	147.5	146.1	131.9	974	1,115	729
Brazilian	10.3	9.9	9.9	36,367	13,025	11,470
British American Oil	21.1	21.1	15.5	12,025	68,401	3,961
Canadian Celanese	28.0	28.7	22.6	1,722	1,103	635
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	10.3	10.5	9.5	17,650	32,848	14,885
Canadian Pacific Railway	11.2	11.5	13.3	8,088	7,820	11,062
Consolidated Smelters	211.6	206.8	134.0	1,539	1,622	222
Distillers Corp-Seagrams	32.5	32.1	16.8	3,752	10,480	2,175
Dominion Bridge	34.4	34.8	27.4	1,958	3,812	1,134
Dominion Stores	11.0	10.1	11.3	7,480	4,070	200
Fanny Farmer	14.6	13.7	9.0	5,700	6,713	3,905
Ford "A"	24.9	25.6	31.3	8,103	4,185	12,217
Goodyear Tire	66.3	65.7	-	1,020	390	-
Hollinger	15.8	15.2	18.8	9,010	17,395	1,950
Imperial Tobacco	14.0	14.0	13.4	3,785	3,334	983
International Nickel	47.4	46.2	23.0	96,857	54,467	8,467
McColl-Frontenac Oil	15.4	14.6	15.0	29,082	18,664	1,640
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	32.5	32.9	31.6	8,454	11,400	7,493
Moore	29.5	29.2	17.6	1,805	850	472
National Breweries	39.5	39.7	32.2	2,294	2,460	1,733
Noranda	48.0	46.8	-	6,604	8,448	-
Shawinigan	20.3	20.2	18.9	4,103	2,866	2,574
Steel of Canada	59.5	59.3	45.7	1,690	1,815	972
Walkers	33.4	32.4	29.8	10,631	6,882	6,972
TOTAL SALES				287,338	286,572	96,881

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG TERM BOND YIELDS
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 73.3 for the week ending January 17 to 71.9 for the week ending January 24. During the first two days of the week trading was light with yields slightly lower, but on the 22nd they rose moderately upon a larger volume of trading. For the balance of the week, yields declined again and the daily average of the six leading issues used in this index was 3.38 on January 24 as compared with 3.43 on January 17.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1935.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co.Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, x1935-1936.
(1926=100)

November	1	75.7
	8	74.8
	15	74.1
	22	74.3
	29	74.8
December	6	74.8
	13	75.2
	20	74.4
	27	74.2
January	3	73.3
	10	73.1
	17	73.3
	24	71.9

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total+
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.7	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1934														
December	125.6	119.8	11.6	71.0	117.8	74.3	130.3	98.6	166.2	47.5	29.1	97.6	58.5	87.9
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
October	152.9	123.0	12.6	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	217.5	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	100.0
November	170.3	127.8	14.6	66.9	228.7	69.0	145.7	157.3	254.4	50.9	27.9	105.1	66.1	110.4
December	178.2	125.0	15.9	76.7	214.8	70.4	148.5	161.0	294.5	50.1	28.6	108.0	62.7	112.0
Weekly Index Numbers														
1935														
January 24th	128.9	129.0	13.8	65.7	180.7	75.4	133.1	107.4	167.3	51.1	33.4	100.7	61.5	90.6
1936														
January 2nd	178.3	125.3	17.3	78.6	212.6	72.1	149.5	155.1	297.9	49.8	28.6	107.5	62.4	111.4
January 9th	180.2	128.8	18.6	79.5	217.5	74.9	152.1	152.6	295.9	50.8	29.6	110.3	63.2	112.8
January 16th	187.2	129.8	18.9	80.7	232.2	75.7	152.9	150.7	301.8	50.8	28.8	111.4	63.7	116.2
January 23rd	190.6	128.2	19.1	80.4	236.9	76.5	155.5	152.1	308.5	50.6	28.1	112.5	63.7	117.8

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Prices advanced on heavy trading causing the index for 112 common stocks to move upward from 117.8 for the week ending January 23 to 120.7 for the week of January 30. For the corresponding week in 1935 the index was 89.5. Industrials forged ahead, all sub-groups with the exception of Textiles and Clothing and Beverages recording gains. Accordingly the index for 89 Industrials mounted from 190.6 for the week of January 17 to 194.4 for the week of January 30. For the week ending January 31, 1935, this index was 127.5. Twenty-three Utilities registered a gain of 2.1 points, placing the index at 52.7 for January 30 as compared with 50.6 for the previous week and 50.3 for the comparable week in 1935. In this group, C.P.R. and Brazilian showed substantial gains.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Jan.30	1936 Jan.23	1935 Jan.31	1936 Jan.30	1936 Jan.23	1935 Jan.31
	$	$	$			
Bell Telephone	148.0	147.5	133.6	541	974	842
Brazilian	12.1	10.3	9.7	147294	36367	5106
British American Oil	21.3	21.1	15.3	18749	12025	3200
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	11.4	10.3	9.4	73699	17650	12200
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "B"	10.5	9.2	8.6	6285	1958	2000
Canadian Pacific Railway	12.2	11.2	12.9	34450	8088	6083
Consolidated Smelters	217.2	211.6	130.2	871	1539	528
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	30.8	32.5	16.2	11205	3752	905
Dominion Bridge	36.1	34.4	27.8	4744	1958	1015
Dominion Textile	74.1	77.4	80.6	687	310	138
Fanny Farmer	14.8	14.6	8.9	6905	5700	3490
Ford "A"	25.1	24.9	30.2	5463	8103	5549
Electrolux Corporation	22.4	19.8	-	15125	2400	-
Gollinger	16.6	15.8	17.7	9330	9010	1933
International Nickel	48.6	47.4	22.7	66426	96857	6855
Massey-Harris	7.0	6.0	4.9	27552	6225	2860
McColl-Frontenac Oil	15.9	15.4	14.9	19373	29082	1160
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	32.5	32.5	30.7	6162	8454	3317
National Breweries	40.4	39.5	32.7	5278	2294	2465
Noranda	48.8	48.0	-	6045	6604	-
Pantapec Oil	5.2	4.1	-	44845	6975	-
Shawinigan	20.0	20.3	18.8	4365	4103	2387
Steel of Canada	60.0	59.5	46.6	1728	1690	420
Union Gas	9.5	9.0	4.7	6982	3376	1131
Walkers	32.9	33.4	29.6	3725	10631	4391
TOTAL SALES				527829	286125	67975

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields fell from 71.9 for the week ending January 24 to 71.1 for the week ending January 31. Yields ranged from 3.07 to 3.62 with an average of 3.36. During the first part of the week the market was dull and offerings light but a revival of interest was shown in the last two days and trading became brisker. The conversions, particularly, were turned over in good volume and on a firmer basis.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919 - 1936.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co. Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	104.[illegible]	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, x1935-1936
(1926=100)

November 1	75.7
8	74.8
15	74.1
22	74.3
29	74.8
December 6	74.8
13	75.2
20	74.4
27	74.2
January 3	73.3
10	73.1
17	73.3
24	71.9
31	71.1

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand+ Total
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.7	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60 1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1934														
December	125.6	119.8	11.6	71.0	117.8	74.3	130.3	98.6	166.2	47.5	29.1	97.6	58.5	87.9
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
October	152.9	123.0	12.6	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	217.5	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	100.0
November	170.3	127.8	14.6	66.9	228.7	69.0	145.7	157.3	254.4	50.9	27.9	105.1	66.1	110.4
December	178.2	125.0	15.9	76.7	214.8	70.4	148.5	161.0	294.5	50.1	28.6	108.0	62.7	112.0
Weekly Index Numbers														
1935														
January 31st	127.5	124.2	14.1	65.3	180.5	75.2	131.1	106.4	164.8	50.3	32.4	101.9	60.6	89.5
1936														
January 9th	180.2	128.8	18.6	79.5	217.5	74.9	152.1	152.6	295.9	50.8	29.6	110.3	63.2	112.8
January 16th	187.2	129.8	18.9	80.7	232.2	75.7	152.9	150.7	301.8	50.8	28.8	111.4	63.7	116.2
January 23rd	190.6	128.2	19.1	80.4	236.9	76.5	155.5	152.1	308.5	50.6	28.1	112.5	63.7	117.8
January 30th	194.4	131.6	19.4	81.5	241.9	74.9	156.1	151.0	315.9	52.7	30.6	112.8	65.9	120.7

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Although the steady advance of stock prices during the past six weeks was impeded by profit taking at Montreal and Toronto in the latter part of the week, the general index mounted from 120.7 for the week ending January 30 to 124.2 for the week ending February 6. For the corresponding week in 1935 the index was 89.0. Eighty-nine Industrials advanced from 194.4 for January 30 to 199.3 for February 6. In this section, Page-Hersey, Steel of Canada, Dominion Bridge, B.A. Oil and Consolidated Smelters showed the largest individual gains and all sub-groups, with the exception of Textiles and Clothing and Beverages, were higher. The rise in prices of C.P.R., Bell Telephone and Brazilian was chiefly responsible for the index for twenty-three Utilities moving upward from 52.7 for the week of January 30 to 55.0 for the week of February 6. The comparative index for 1935 was 50.2.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Feb.6	1936 Jan.30	1935 Feb.7	1936 Feb.6	1936 Jan.30	1935 Feb.7
	$	$	$			
Bathurst Power & Paper	16.2	14.9	6.4	6,903	2,173	150
Bell Telephone	149.2	148.0	134.5	1,002	541	783
Brazilian	13.7	12.1	9.7	139,403	147,294	5,176
British American Oil	22.8	21.3	15.2	32,469	18,749	3,169
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	11.5	11.4	9.1	23,843	73,699	1,935
Canadian Pacific Railway	13.1	12.2	12.9	42,235	34,450	7,076
Consolidated Smelters	227.4	217.2	131.8	2,177	871	337
Cosmos Imperial	21.0	18.3	16.4	5,096	100	40
Distillers Corp-Seagrams	30.7	30.8	16.1	7,396	11,205	935
Dominion Bridge	38.3	36.1	27.6	4,536	4,744	1,915
Fanny Farmer	15.0	14.8	8.9	7,769	6,905	3,320
Ford "A"	25.9	25.1	29.6	6,502	5,463	4,457
Electrolux Corporation	24.5	22.4	-	11,550	15,125	-
International Nickel	49.0	48.6	22.6	59,727	66,426	8,421
Loblaw "A & B"	18.7	18.9	17.7	9,208	1,961	2,832
McColl-Frontenac Oil	17.0	15.9	15.1	21,616	19,373	1,796
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	32.8	32.5	30.7	11,710	6,162	3,550
National Breweries	41.8	40.4	33.0	3,202	5,278	1,744
Noranda	48.1	48.8	-	6,786	6,045	-
Page-Hersey	85.1	82.1	80.3	1,978	566	56
Pantapec Oil	5.6	5.2	-	28,165	44,845	-
Power Corporation	14.0	12.2	10.0	7,774	2,237	1,484
Shawinigan	20.4	20.0	18.6	6,006	4,365	2,738
Steel of Canada	62.2	60.0	45.7	3,509	1,728	1,427
Walkers	32.3	32.9	29.4	3,774	3,725	2,081
TOTAL SALES				454,336	484,030	55,422

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 71.1 for e week ending January 31 to 70.7 for the week ending February 7. This was the lowest int reached since the week of August 16. The range of yields for the six issued cluded, was from 3.07 to 3.60 with an average of 3.34; that for the preceding week s from 3.07 to 3.62 with an average of 3.36. In the first part of the week trading s light and yields, although somewhat irregular, averaged slightly higher, but this vement was reversed in the closing days when brisker demand developed.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1936.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co.Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
nuary	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
bruary	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
rch	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
ril	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
y	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
ne	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
ly	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
gust	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
ptember	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
tober	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
vember	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
cember	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
bruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	-
rch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	-
ril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	-
y	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
ne	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
ly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
gust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
ptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
tober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
vember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
cember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, x1935-1936.
(1926=100)

1935, December	6	74.8
	13	75.2
	20	74.4
	27	74.2
1936, January	3	73.3
	10	73.1
	17	73.3
	24	71.9
	31	71.1
February	7	70.7

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926=100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 9	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	Grand + Total 112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.[illegible]	77.5	13[illegible]	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.7	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
Weekly Index Numbers														
1935														
February 7th	126.6	125.1	13.8	66.9	177.5	74.9	129.9	106.0	164.4	50.2	32.3	102.6	60.2	89.0
1936														
January 9th	180.2	128.8	18.6	79.5	217.5	74.9	152.1	152.6	295.9	50.8	29.6	110.3	63.2	112.8
January 16th	187.2	129.8	18.9	80.7	232.2	75.7	152.9	150.7	301.8	50.8	28.8	111.4	63.7	116.2
January 23rd	190.6	128.2	19.1	80.4	236.9	76.5	155.5	152.1	308.5	50.6	28.1	112.5	63.7	117.8
January 30th	194.4	131.6	19.4	81.5	241.9	74.9	156.1	151.0	315.9	52.7	30.6	112.8	65.9	120.7
February 6th	199.3	136.4	20.0	81.9	250.9	73.4	157.5	150.7	320.7	55.0	32.9	113.7	68.6	124.2

x Weekly figures + Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926 = 100)

Common stocks were less active than during the past two weeks but prices remained relatively steady and the general index for 121 common stocks was 124.3 for the week ending February 13 as compared with 124.2 for the previous week. The comparative index for 1935 was 89.4. Eighty-nine Industrials recorded a fractional gain of 0.2 points, placing the index at 199.5 for the week of February 13. For the week ending February 14, 1935, the index was 128.3. Twenty-three Utilities remained unchanged at 55.0 for the week of February 13 and this index was 5.7 points higher than for the corresponding week last year.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Feb.13 $	1936 Feb. 6 $	1935 Feb.14 $	1936 Feb.13	1936 Feb. 6	1935 Feb.14
Abitibi	2.1	1.7	1.6	43,960	1,925	1,100
Bathurst Power & Paper	17.1	16.2	6.1	4,045	6,903	350
Bell Telephone	147.0	149.2	134.0	506	1,002	541
Brazilian	13.6	13.7	9.7	76,536	139,403	5,410
British American Oil	22.7	22.8	15.6	11,530	32,469	4,683
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	11.7	11.5	9.3	26,431	23,843	2,970
Canadian Pacific Railway	12.9	13.1	12.2	13,074	42,235	2,431
Consolidated Smelters	230.9	227.4	134.2	1,171	2,177	529
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	30.3	30.7	16.9	7,915	7,396	1,615
Dominion Bridge	39.4	38.3	28.0	3,666	4,536	830
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	5.4	5.1	5.6	14,383	7,908	2,440
Electrolux Corporation	24.7	24.5	-	6,105	11,550	-
Fanny Farmer	15.8	15.0	8.8	13,227	7,769	5,681
Ford "A"	25.6	25.9	30.7	5,206	6,502	4,030
International Nickel	49.2	49.0	22.8	40,106	59,727	18,320
Loblaw "A & B"	19.2	18.7	18.1	6,561	9,208	706
McColl-Frontenac Oil	16.7	17.0	15.1	6,670	21,616	1,355
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	33.0	32.8	30.8	7,663	11,710	4,306
National Breweries	41.8	41.8	33.0	1,635	3,202	2,425
Noranda	47.1	48.1	-	6,272	6,786	-
Pantapec Oil	5.4	5.6	-	13,190	28,165	-
Quebec Power	17.0	15.2	16.3	7,444	4,273	295
Shawinigan	21.5	20.4	18.4	8,038	6,006	1,300
Steel of Canada	62.7	62.2	46.0	1,275	3,509	728
Walkers	32.6	32.3	30.3	4,343	3,774	2,481
TOTAL SALES				330,952	453,594	64,526

[x] As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 70.7 for the week ending February 7 to 71.0 for the week ending February 14. This was the second minor interruption of a decline dating from the second week of last December, when the index was 75.2. Yields of the six leading issues used in this index ranged from 3.07 to 3.64 and averaged 3.35. Trading was light for the greater part of the week and yields rose until the last day when they approximated the levels of the previous Friday.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1936.
(1926=100)
(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co.Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	-
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	-
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	-
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, [x]1935-1936.
(1926 = 100)

1935, December 6	74.8
13	75.2
20	74.4
27	74.2
1936, January 3	73.3
10	73.1
17	73.3
24	71.9
31	71.1
February 7	70.7
14	71.0

[x] Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES			
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand + Total
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	139.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.7	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.[illegible]	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.[illegible]	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
Weekly Index Numbers														
1935														
February 14th	128.3	127.5	13.6	68.2	179.8	75.9	132.4	108.5	165.9	49.3	30.6	102.3	60.1	89.4
1936														
January 9th	180.2	128.8	18.6	79.5	217.5	74.9	152.1	152.6	295.9	50.8	29.6	110.3	63.2	112.8
January 16th	187.2	129.8	18.9	80.7	232.2	75.7	152.9	150.7	201.8	50.8	28.8	111.4	63.7	116.2
January 23rd	190.6	128.2	19.1	80.4	236.9	76.5	155.5	152.1	308.5	50.6	28.1	112.5	63.7	117.8
January 30th	194.4	131.6	19.4	81.5	241.9	74.9	156.1	151.0	315.9	52.7	30.6	112.8	65.9	120.7
February 6th	199.3	136.4	20.0	81.9	250.9	73.4	157.5	150.7	320.7	55.0	32.9	113.7	68.6	124.2
February 13th	199.5	137.4	21.2	84.8	249.7	74.4	159.2	150.4	322.5	55.0	32.4	112.1	69.5	124.3

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Irregularly lower prices accompanied by considerable decrease in sales caused the index for 112 common stocks to recede from 126.9 for the week of February 20 to 126.7 for the week of February 27. The comparative index for last year was 88.8. In the Industrial section four sub-groups were lower and four were higher but losses chiefly in Oils and Pulp and Paper slightly outweighed gains. Accordingly the index declined from 202.1 for the week ending February 20 to 201.1 for the week of February 27. For the week ending February 28, 1935, the index was 128.7. Unlike Industrials, twenty-three Utilities registered a fractional gain of 0.6 points. Advances in price of C.P.R. and most of the stocks included in the Power and Traction sub-group were mainly responsible for the index rising from 57.9 for February 20 to 58.5 for February 27. This index was 48.1 for the corresponding week last year.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Feb.27	1936 Feb.20	1935 Feb.28	1936 Feb.27	1936 Feb.20	1935 Feb.28
	$	$	$			
Bathurst Power & Paper	14.8	15.5	5.7	5,610	2,619	75
Bell Telephone	145.6	148.4	132.9	510	766	387
Brazilian	14.7	14.3	8.8	109,220	127,215	6,861
British American Oil	21.9	22.3	15.4	9,511	11,806	4,950
Canadian Celanese	29.5	27.7	20.6	4,865	443	1,145
Canadian Dredge & Dry Dock	42.5	42.8	21.5	2,322	2,390	50
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	12.1	11.8	8.8	34,023	26,236	3,505
Canadian Pacific Railway	15.0	14.6	11.6	19,498	70,956	4,937
Consolidated Smelters	237.7	238.1	132.7	1,330	1,023	334
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	30.4	29.8	17.1	9,335	6,840	2,030
Dominion Bridge	39.5	39.7	27.3	2,851	2,068	295
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	7.5	6.9	5.4	36,991	78,691	2,158
Ford "A"	27.1	26.9	29.5	5,611	25,420	6,407
Hollinger	15.8	16.0	18.3	4,935	4,227	1,500
International Nickel	51.4	51.5	23.5	62,658	130,866	11,332
McColl-Frontenac Oil	16.9	16.6	15.0	6,977	13,034	888
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	33.3	33.6	30.4	5,752	10,553	8,928
Moore	35.4	35.2	18.9	2,185	1,695	1,130
National Breweries	43.0	41.9	32.9	11,358	3,400	2,313
Noranda	49.5	48.5	-	13,929	9,628	-
Power Corporation	17.3	15.5	9.5	8,483	10,155	490
Shawinigan	22.6	22.1	17.9	7,904	7,753	756
Steel of Canada	63.6	63.5	44.9	2,024	1,216	526
Union Gas	12.0	11.3	5.0	9,824	12,312	1,255
Walkers	33.6	33.5	29.5	3,391	11,635	3,649
Total				381,097	572,947	65,901

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 70.8 for the week ending February 21 to 70.7 for the week ending February 28. Yields, on the issues used in this index, ranged from 3.07 to 3.58 and averaged 3.35. On the Montreal market, turnover was small and movement restricted during the greater part of the week, but on Friday a more active demand for bonds of the longer maturities developed.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919 - 1936.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co.Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	-
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	-
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	-
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS. x1935-1936.
(1926=100)

1935	December	6	74.8
		13	75.2
		20	74.4
		27	74.2
1936	January	3	73.3
		10	73.1
		17	73.3
		24	71.9
		31	71.1
	February	7	70.7
		14	71.0
		21	70.8
		28	70.7

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES			
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand + Total
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	139.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.7	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
Weekly Index Numbers														
1935														
February 28th	128.7	124.6	13.1	65.7	180.6	75.6	131.0	106.1	169.1	48.1	29.1	101.5	58.9	88.8
1936														
January 23rd	190.6	128.2	19.1	80.4	236.9	76.5	155.5	152.1	308.5	50.6	28.1	112.5	63.7	117.8
January 30th	194.4	131.6	19.4	81.5	241.9	74.9	156.1	151.0	315.9	52.7	30.6	112.8	65.9	120.7
February 6th	199.3	136.4	20.0	81.9	250.9	73.4	157.5	150.7	320.7	55.0	32.9	113.7	68.6	124.2
February 13th	199.5	137.4	21.2	84.8	249.7	74.4	159.2	150.4	322.5	55.0	32.4	112.1	69.5	124.3
February 20th	202.1	142.5	20.8	85.9	247.8	72.8	159.6	150.6	336.3	57.9	36.6	113.1	71.5	126.9
February 27th	201.1	143.0	20.0	85.6	245.2	74.3	160.0	152.5	335.5	58.5	37.6	111.0	72.4	126.7

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Although common stocks were less active than during the previous week, prices were steadier with gains slightly overbalancing losses. Accordingly the index for 112 common stocks was the highest for the year at 127.0 for the week of March 5. This compares with 126.7 for the preceding week and 87.8 for the corresponding week in 1935. The index for eighty-nine Industrials advanced from 201.1 for the week ending February 7 to 202.2 for the week of March 5 due to the influence of Oils and Consolidated Smelters, which reached a new high since 1930. The comparative Industrial index for 1935 was 128.0. Twenty-three Utilities registered a fractional loss of 0.5 points, placing the index at 83.0 for the week of March 5. For the week ending March 7, 1935, this index was 46.1.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[X]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 March 5	1936 Feb.27	1935 March 7	1936 March 5	1936 Feb.27	1935 March 7
	$	$	$			
Bathurst Power & Paper	14.1	14.8	5.6	4,749	5,610	175
Bell Telephone	146.4	145.6	133.1	734	510	399
Brazilian	14.1	14.7	8.6	29,000	109,220	10,326
British American Oil	22.4	21.9	15.0	8,183	9,511	5,674
Building Products	35.5	35.1	28.9	1,430	287	570
Canadian Celanese	29.4	29.5	20.4	5,997	4,865	713
Canadian Dredge & Dry Dock	45.4	42.5	20.4	3,462	2,322	245
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	11.4	12.1	8.4	14,411	34,023	2,882
Canadian Pacific Railway	14.6	15.0	10.7	13,851	19,498	9,174
Consolidated Smelters	246.7	237.7	135.3	2,385	1,330	1,454
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	29.3	30.4	16.8	5,425	9,335	410
Dominion Textile	74.6	72.4	79.6	671	305	190
Fanny Farmer	15.6	16.1	8.9	4,943	4,350	2,917
Ford "A"	26.7	27.1	28.9	9,818	5,611	8,056
Gillinger	15.3	15.8	18.4	4,200	4,935	21,605
Imperial Tobacco	14.3	14.2	12.8	6,587	3,542	2,358
International Nickel	51.4	51.4	23.5	39,655	62,658	20,529
Loblaw	19.1	19.1	18.3	3,329	2,611	2,123
McColl-Frontenac Oil	16.7	16.9	14.9	6,028	6,977	887
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	33.3	33.3	29.3	5,629	5,752	9,396
Moore	37.5	35.4	18.9	3,853	2,185	480
National Breweries	43.9	43.0	32.8	2,797	11,358	2,674
Noranda	49.5	49.5	-	3,990	13,929	-
Power Corporation	17.3	17.3	8.7	4,865	8,483	405
Shawinigan	22.8	22.6	16.5	7,832	7,904	2,343
Total Sales				193,824	337,111	105,985

X As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined further from 70.7 for the week ending February 28 to 70.0 for the week ending March 6. This is the lowest point reached by the index since its commencement in 1919. In fact, when comparing with the Bureau's index of popular Ontario issues, yields would appear to be at their lowest level since the beginning of 1907. The range of yields was from 3.02 to 3.57 with an average of 3.31 as compared with 3.07 to 3.58 and an average of 3.35 for the preceding week. Montreal reported light trading during the first few days with the Wednesday market showing a stronger tone on good turnover. Volume decreased in the latter part of the week, however, but prices remained buoyant.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919 - 1936.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co., Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	-
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	-
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, [x]1935-1936.
(1926=100)

1935 December	6	74.8
	13	75.2
	20	74.4
	27	74.2
1936 January	3	73.3
	10	73.1
	17	73.3
	24	71.9
	31	71.1
February	7	70.7
	14	71.0
	21	70.8
	28	70.7
March	6	70.0

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 9	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	Grand Total 112 +
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	139.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.7	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.9	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	14[illegible].4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
Weekly Index Numbers														
1935														
March 7th	128.0	121.3	12.7	64.7	180.2	74.8	129.2	103.9	169.3	46.1	26.8	101.7	56.9	87.8
1936														
February 6th	199.3	136.4	20.0	81.9	250.9	73.4	157.5	150.7	320.7	55.0	32.9	113.7	68.6	124.2
February 13th	199.5	137.4	21.2	84.8	249.7	74.4	159.2	150.4	322.5	55.0	32.4	112.1	69.5	124.3
February 20th	202.1	142.5	20.8	85.9	247.8	72.8	159.6	150.6	336.3	57.9	36.6	113.1	71.5	126.9
February 27th	201.1	143.0	20.0	85.6	245.2	74.3	160.0	152.5	335.5	58.5	37.6	111.0	72.4	126.7
March 5th	202.2	141.3	19.9	85.7	247.9	75.4	158.5	149.1	337.5	58.0	36.6	111.6	72.0	127.0

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Losses on the Canadian stock markets during the week were fairly general and were credited to generality unsettled conditions in Europe. Prices dropped to lower levels particularly on Monday and Thursday and caused the first marked decline in the general index this year. The general index for 112 common stocks receded from 127.0 for the week of March 5 to 122.5 for March 12. For the week ending March 14, 1935, the index was 85.6. Eighty-nine Industrials fell seven points, the index being 195.2 for March 12 as compared with 202.2 for March 5 and 124.4 for the corresponding week in 1935. Losses were shown in almost all sub-groups but Consolidated Smelters and Ogilvie were exceptions to the general movement closing the week considerably higher. Twenty-three Utilities recorded a reduction of 2.3 points placing the index at 55.7 for the week ending March 12. The Utilities index was 58.0 for the previous week and 45.4 for the comparable week last year.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 March 12	1936 March 5	1935 March 14	1936 March 12	1936 March 5	1935 March 14
	$	$	$			
Bell Telephone	146.0	146.4	132.4	621	734	636
Brazilian	13.5	14.1	8.6	72,921	29,000	4,242
British American Oil	21.5	22.4	14.9	7,588	8,183	3,536
Canadian Dredge & Dry Dock	45.2	45.4	20.2	2,075	3,462	35
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	10.7	11.4	7.8	15,006	14,411	8,430
Canadian Pacific Railway	13.5	14.6	10.1	13,829	13,851	9,325
Consolidated Smelters	256.8	246.7	130.0	4,020	2,385	946
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	27.2	29.3	15.4	13,420	5,425	815
Dominion Bridge	37.8	39.2	25.5	1,679	945	1,575
Electrolux Corp.	25.6	26.4	-	2,805	895	-
Fanny Farmer	15.0	15.6	8.8	3,784	4,943	1,495
Ford "A"	25.9	26.7	26.7	6,577	9,818	10,218
Gollinger	14.7	15.3	17.1	3,885	4,200	4,200
Imperial Tobacco	14.2	14.3	12.6	3,935	6,587	3,442
International Nickel	49.1	51.4	22.9	54,489	39,655	16,131
Massey-Harris	7.0	6.9	4.0	10,887	6,694	4,365
McColl-Frontenac Oil	16.4	16.7	14.7	6,846	6,028	816
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	32.5	33.3	29.6	7,644	5,629	3,678
National Breweries	42.9	43.9	33.1	4,349	2,797	1,492
Noranda	48.7	49.5	-	7,593	3,990	-
Power Corporation	16.0	17.3	8.2	5,204	4,865	593
Shawinigan	21.3	22.8	16.5	5,169	7,832	1,403
Southern Canada Power	13.5	13.6	11.1	4,564	514	395
Union Gas	11.4	12.3	4.6	6,142	3,305	1,042
Walkers	31.0	32.1	26.6	6,208	1,454	8,065
TOTAL SALES				271,240	187,602	86,875

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields, on the base 1926=100, ose from 70.0 for the week ending March 6 to 70.2 for the week ending March 13. Yields ere slightly higher than for the preceding week and ranged from 3.02 to 3.58 with an verage of 3.32. For the first two days trading was light with prices steady, according o Montreal advices. Later, the influence of unsettlement in Europe upon outside markets as reflected in depressed conditions on the domestic Exchanges and quotations sagged n a limited turnover.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1936.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co.,Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
anuary	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
ebruary	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
arch	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
pril	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
ay	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
ne	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
ly	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
ugust	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
eptember	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
ctober	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
ovember	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
ecember	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
anuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
ebruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
arch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	-
pril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	-
ay	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
ne	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
ly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
ugust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
eptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
ctober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
ovember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
ecember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, x1935-1936.
(1926=100)

1935 December	6	74.8
	13	75.2
	20	74.4
	27	74.2
1936 January	3	73.3
	10	73.1
	17	73.3
	24	71.9
	31	71.1
February	7	70.7
	14	71.0
	21	70.8
	28	70.7
March	6	70.0
	13	70.2

Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 9	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	Grand + Total 112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	139.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.7	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
Weekly Index Numbers														
1935														
March 14th	124.4	115.2	11.5	57.1	176.1	74.3	127.7	99.3	165.1	45.4	25.3	101.2	56.9	85.6
1936														
February 6th	199.3	136.4	20.0	81.9	250.9	73.4	157.5	150.7	320.7	55.0	32.9	113.7	68.6	124.2
February 13th	199.5	137.4	21.2	84.8	249.7	74.4	159.2	150.4	322.5	55.0	32.4	112.1	69.5	124.3
February 20th	202.1	142.5	30.8	85.9	247.8	72.8	159.6	150.6	336.3	57.9	36.6	113.1	71.5	126.9
February 27th	201.1	143.0	20.0	85.6	245.2	74.3	160.0	152.5	335.5	58.5	37.6	111.0	72.4	126.7
March 5th	202.2	141.3	19.9	85.7	247.9	75.4	/158.4	149.1	337.5	58.0	36.6	111.6	72.0	127.0
March 12th	195.2	138.0	19.6	89.6	237.9	73.7	154.8	141.6	327.5	55.7	33.9	111.3	69.7	122.5

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included. / Revised figure

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Common stocks showed little activity during the past week and the general index continued downward as in the previous week. The index for 112 common stocks dropped from 122.5 for the week ending March 12 to 120.6 for the week ending March 19. The comparative index for last year was 84.7. In the Industrial section, all sub-groups with the exception of Milling were lower, and the index receded from 195.2 for March 12 to 192.8 for March 19. For the corresponding week in 1935, this index was 123.7. Ogilvie was responsible for the advance in the Milling sub-group and a notable gain of $18.90 was recorded for Smelters which averaged$275.7 for the week. Twenty-three Utilities registered a loss for the third successive week. This index was 54.2 for the week of March 19 as compared with 55.7 for the preceding week and 44.7 for the week of March 21, 1935.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 March 19	1936 March 12	1935 March 21	1936 March 19	1936 March 12	1935 March 21
	$	$	$			
Bathurst Power and Paper	12.2	13.6	4.9	10,605	2,695	260
Bell Telephone	144.5	146.0	130.7	834	621	632
Brazilian	12.3	13.5	8.8	48,368	72,921	8,892
British American Oil	21.8	21.5	14.9	22,581	7,588	2,395
Canadian Dredge & Dry Dock	44.7	45.2	20.2	1,424	2,075	205
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	9.6	10.7	8.5	13,235	15,006	8,735
Canadian Pacific Railway	13.1	13.5	9.8	20,192	13,829	11,388
Consolidated Smelters	275.7	256.8	129.0	4,931	4,020	965
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	25.8	27.2	15.7	5,037	13,420	655
Dominion Bridge	36.3	37.8	25.0	3,687	1,679	636
Canny Farmer	14.1	15.0	8.7	5,765	3,784	1,020
Ford "A"	25.2	25.9	27.5	9.199	6,577	5,387
Gollinger	14.0	14.7	16.8	5,525	3,885	2,495
Imperial Tobacco	13.8	14.2	12.3	3,114	3,935	4,121
International Nickel	48.5	49.1	23.2	64,460	54,489	9,178
Massey-Harris	6.6	7.0	3.7	5,386	10,887	3,830
McColl-Frontenac Oil	15.8	16.4	14.2	6,854	6,846	2,680
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	32.3	32.5	29.5	6,535	7,644	3,611
National Breweries	41.7	42.9	32.8	4,446	4,349	763
Noranda	48.6	48.7	-	6,300	7,593	-
Power Corporation	15.2	16.0	8.0	3,821	5,204	336
Shawinigan	21.2	21.3	16.0	3,925	5,169	2,140
Steel of Canada	60.7	62.8	43.3	2,609	1,202	1,080
Union Gas	10.7	11.4	4.5	5,838	6,142	870
Walkers	29.0	31.0	27.7	5,426	6,208	5,200
Total Sales				270,097	267,768	77,474

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS.
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields, on the base 1926=100, ose from 70.2 for the week ending March 13 to 70.4 for the week ending March 20. The ndex for the corresponding week of 1935 stood at 71.7 and that for 1934 at 85.7. The ix leading issues used in this index showed an average yield of 3.33 for the past week s compared with 3.32 for the week preceding. Yields were sharply higher at the close f the first day, then dropped to previous levels and toward the latter part of the eek again declined. Small interest was evinced in high grades in the early sessions, ccording to Montreal reports, but a good demand developed in the closing days subsequent o the receipt of more encouraging reports regarding political developments in Europe.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919 - 1936.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co., Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
anuary	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
ebruary	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
arch	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
pril	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
ay	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
une	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
uly	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
ugust	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
eptember	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
ctober	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
ovember	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
ecember	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
anuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
ebruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
arch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	-
pril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	-
ay	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
une	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
uly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
ugust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
eptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
ctober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
ovember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
ecember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, x1935-1936.
(1926=100)

1935 December	6	74.8
	13	75.2
	20	74.4
	27	74.2
1936 January	3	73.3
	10	73.1
	17	73.3
	24	71.9
	31	71.1
February	7	70.7
	14	71.0
	21	70.8
	28	70.7
March	6	70.0
	13	70.2
	20	70.4

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and hold them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total +
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	139.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.7	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
Weekly Index Numbers														
1935														
March 21st	123.7	115.5	11.2	54.0	173.1	73.4	124.4	101.4	166.0	44.7	24.6	99.9	56.3	84.7
1936														
February 13th	199.5	137.4	21.2	84.8	249.7	74.4	159.2	150.4	322.5	55.0	32.4	112.1	69.5	124.3
February 20th	202.1	142.5	30.8	85.9	247.8	72.8	159.6	150.6	336.3	57.9	36.6	113.1	71.5	126.9
February 27th	201.1	143.0	20.0	85.6	245.2	74.3	160.0	152.5	335.5	58.5	37.6	111.0	72.4	126.7
March 5th	202.2	141.3	19.9	85.7	247.9	75.4	158.4	149.1	337.5	58.0	36.6	111.6	72.0	127.0
March 12th	195.2	138.0	19.6	89.6	237.9	73.7	154.8	141.6	327.5	55.7	33.9	111.3	69.7	122.5
March 19th	192.8	133.3	17.7	92.5	234.7	71.9	151.6	134.5	327.0	54.2	32.9	110.1	67.5	120.6

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES

(1926 = 100)

A slight upward reaction in prices characterized trading on Canadian stock markets during the week. The majority of stocks showed moderate gains after suffering losses for the two preceding weeks. Accordingly, the general index for 112 common stocks mounted from 120.6 for the week ending March 19 to 123.0 for the week of March 26. The comparative index for 1935 was 86.0. In the Industrial section five of the eight sub-groups were higher with Oils and Beverages heading the advance. The Industrial index rose from 192.8 for March 19 to 197.4 for March 26. For the week ending March 28 last year this index was 125.2. Very little activity was displayed by Utilities during the week, the index being 54.5 as compared with 54.2 for the previous week and 44.4 for the corresponding week in 1935.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 March 26 $	1936 March 19 $	1935 March 28 $	1936 March 26	1936 March 19	1935 March 28
Bell Telephone	144.6	144.5	129.2	426	834	456
Brazilian	12.4	12.3	9.0	23,769	48,368	23,975
British American Oil	23.9	21.8	14.8	39,995	22,581	3,325
British Columbia Power "A"	31.2	30.4	25.0	1,628	617	427
Canadian Dredge & Dry Dock	46.9	44.7	19.6	831	1,424	55
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	10.1	9.6	9.1	19,314	13,235	14,085
Canadian Pacific Railway	13.0	13.1	9.7	7,348	20,192	4,472
Consolidated Smelters	279.2	275.7	131.7	1,689	4,931	1,050
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	27.4	25.8	16.0	4,730	5,037	535
Dominion Bridge	37.7	36.3	25.0	1,065	3,687	1,090
Ford "A"	25.0	25.2	27.9	4,418	9,199	3,594
Goodyear Tire	71.8	69.4	-	627	285	-
Imperial Tobacco	13.8	13.8	12.0	5,351	3,114	6,269
International Nickel	49.2	48.5	23.9	20,102	64,460	38,955
Loblaw	18.6	18.8	18.4	1,919	1,735	1,839
Massey-Harris	7.0	6.6	3.9	6,367	5,386	2,074
McColl-Frontenac Oil	16.3	15.8	14.0	3,494	6,854	1,705
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	32.6	32.3	29.3	4,335	6,535	3,234
National Breweries	42.9	41.7	32.0	1,474	4,446	2,287
Noranda	50.5	48.6	-	6,563	6,300	-
Pantapec Oil	5.2	5.0	-	7,450	2,075	-
Shawinigan	21.9	21.2	16.4	3,049	3,925	1,386
Steel of Canada	64.1	60.7	44.5	1,333	2,609	401
Union Gas	11.1	10.7	4.9	3,355	5,838	1,423
Walkers	29.1	29.0	28.1	3,457	5,426	7,433
Total Sales				174,089	249,093	120,080

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS.
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields, on the base 1926-100, declined from 70.4 for the week ending March 20 to 69.2 for the week ending March 27. This is the lowest point touched by this index since its inception in 1919. The average yield of the six leading issues included was 3.27, or .06 below that of the previous week. Yields dropped sharply at the first of the week but made a partial recovery later, only to lose most of the gain in the last two days. Montreal advices indicated a moderate turnover on the market for high grade issues.

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(1926=100)

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	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	103.8	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	-
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	-
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG TERM BOND YIELDS, x1935-1936.
(1926=100)

1935 December	6	74.8
	13	75.2
	20	74.4
	27	74.2
1936 January	3	73.3
	10	73.1
	17	73.3
	24	71.9
	31	71.1
February	7	70.7
	14	71.0
	21	70.8
	28	70.7
March	6	70.0
	13	70.2
	20	70.4
	27	69.2

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

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1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	139.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.8	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
Weekly Index Numbers														
1935														
March 28th	125.2	116.5	11.0	55.4	173.9	73.0	124.1	103.1	169.9	44.4	24.3	98.7	56.2	86.0
1936														
March 5th	202.2	141.3	19.9	85.7	247.9	75.4	158.4	149.1	337.5	58.0	36.6	111.6	72.0	127.0
March 12th	195.2	138.0	19.6	89.6	237.9	73.7	154.8	141.6	327.5	55.7	33.9	111.3	69.7	122.5
March 19th	192.8	133.3	17.7	92.5	234.7	71.9	151.6	134.5	327.0	54.2	32.9	110.1	67.5	120.6
March 26th	197.4	135.8	18.5	91.7	242.9	71.3	151.2	139.2	331.4	54.5	32.6	110.1	68.5	123.0

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Prices moved lower at the beginning of the week but most of the losses were gained in the closing days. The general index for 112 common stocks was 123.1 for the ek ending April2 as compared with 123.0 for previous week and 86.1 for the corres- nding week last year. In the Industrial section, gains in Pulp and Paper, Beverages l Miscellaneous influenced by International Nickel slightly outweighed declines in e other sub-groups. Accordingly the Industrial index rose from 197.4 for March 26 to 7.9 for April 2. For the week ending April 4,1935, this index was 126.0. After a ight advance last week, the index for twenty-three Utilities receded 0.2 and was almost a level with that of March 19. This index was 54.3 for the week of April 2 as com- red with 54.5 for the week of March 26. The comparative index for 1935 was 43.5.

Weekly Average Prices and Total Sales of Market Leaders.[x]

	Prices			Sales		
	1936 April 2	1936 March 26	1935 April 4	1936 April 2	1936 March 26	1935 April 4
	$	$	$			
thurst Power & Paper	13.5	12.9	4.6	6,377	2,136	230
ll Telephone	145.0	144.6	121.4	458	426	1,485
azilian	12.4	12.4	8.7	9,718	23,769	6,919
itish American Oil	24.3	23.9	14.6	24,855	39,995	1,950
itish Columbia Power "A"	31.5	31.2	23.9	2,361	1,628	812
nadian Celanese	27.1	26.8	18.5	1,220	287	265
nadian Dredge & Dry Dock	47.8	46.9	20.1	1,856	831	480
nadian Industrial Alcohol "A"	10.0	10.1	8.3	9,640	19,314	3,130
nadian Pacific Railway	12.9	13.0	10.1	9,824	7,348	10,630
nsolidated Smelters	279.0	279.2	129.4	1,326	1,689	324
stillers Corp.-Seagrams	27.4	27.4	15.6	8,975	4,730	625
minion Bridge	38.0	37.7	25.2	975	1,065	255
d "A"	24.6	25.0	27.5	3,506	4,418	1,952
undation Co.	15.2	13.8	-	1,730	10	-
linger	14.8	14.6	16.6	4,615	1,730	720
perial Tobacco	13.6	13.8	12.0	5,290	5,351	2,295
ternational Nickel	49.8	49.2	24.2	27,827	20,102	19,252
oll-Frontenac Oil	16.3	16.3	13.8	4,526	3,494	754
treal Light, Heat & Power	32.4	32.6	28.0	5,551	4,335	5,077
ional Breweries	42.9	42.9	32.5	2,723	1,474	3,080
anda	51.9	50.5	-	10,411	6,563	-
ssed Metals	23.9	22.7	9.5	1,319	250	236
winigan	21.2	21.9	15.8	1,450	3,049	2,410
el of Canada	63.2	64.1	44.3	919	1,333	1,496
kers	28.7	29.1	27.1	3,107	3,457	1,195
Total Sales				150,559	158,784	65,572

As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields, on the base 1926=100, rose from 69.2 for the week ending March 27 to 69.7 for the week ending April 3. Yields on the six leading issues used in this index ranged from 2.98 to 3.56 with an average of 3.30 as compared with 2.96 to 3.52 and an average of 3.27 for the preceding week. Although a small bond issue of the Province of Alberta went in default on Wednesday, only a temporary decline resulted in the long-term market, and much of the loss was regained before the close of the session.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1936.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co., Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.8	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	-
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, x1935-1936.
(1926=100)

January	3	73.3
	10	73.1
	17	73.3
	24	71.9
	31	71.1
February	7	70.7
	14	71.0
	21	70.8
	28	70.7
March	6	70.0
	13	70.2
	20	70.4
	27	69.2
April	3	69.7

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES			
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand + Total
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	139.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.8	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	86.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
Weekly Index Numbers														
1935														
April 4th	126.0	116.6	10.6	56.6	176.6	72.3	123.5	100.1	171.0	43.5	25.3	92.9	54.2	86.1
1936														
March 5th	202.2	141.3	19.9	85.7	247.9	75.4	158.4	149.1	337.5	58.0	36.6	111.6	72.0	127.0
March 12th	195.2	138.0	19.6	89.6	237.9	73.7	154.8	141.6	327.5	55.7	33.9	111.3	69.7	122.5
March 19th	192.8	133.3	17.7	92.5	234.7	71.9	151.6	134.5	327.0	54.2	32.9	110.1	67.5	120.6
March 26th	197.4	135.8	18.5	91.7	242.9	71.3	151.2	139.2	331.4	54.5	32.6	110.1	68.5	123.0
April 2nd	197.9	134.6	18.6	91.2	242.5	71.0	150.1	139.4	334.7	54.3	32.4	110.4	68.1	123.1

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Irregularly higher prices prevailed during the week and the general index or 112 common stocks mounted from 123.1 for the week ending April 2 to 125.5 for the eek ending April 9. The comparative index for 1935 was 87.7. Eighty-nine Industrials ere 202.6 for the week of April 9 as compared with 198.0 for the previous week and 28.8 for the corresponding week last year. In this section, five sub-groups were higher hile Pulp and Paper and Miscellaneous remained unchanged and Beverages lost 5.2 points. ritish American Oil, International Petroleum, Steel of Canada and Ogilvie showed the argest individual gains. The Utilities index fluctuated narrowly between 54.2 for arch 19 and 54.7 for April 9. This index was 43.6 for the week of April 11, 1935.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 April 9	1936 April 2	1935 April 11	1936 April 9	1936 April 2	1935 April 11
	$	$	$			
thurst Power & Paper	14.1	13.5	4.9	2,395	6,377	225
ell Telephone	144.3	145.0	124.9	646	458	835
azilian	12.5	12.4	8.5	8,864	9,718	3,864
itish American Oil	26.1	24.3	14.7	75,833	24,855	5,061
nadian Dredge & Dry Dock	48.7	47.8	20.7	715	1,856	135
nadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	9.3	10.0	9.1	9,585	9,640	10,624
nadian Pacific Railway	13.2	12.9	10.0	10,229	9,824	3,255
nsolidated Smelters	282.3	279.0	134.4	1,258	1,326	2,393
nsumers Gas	200.2	199.5	189.2	184	73	146
stillers Corp.-Seagrams	24.9	27.4	16.0	21,947	8,975	575
minion Bridge	38.5	38.0	26.1	1,167	975	1,181
rd "A"	25.8	24.6	28.3	16,059	3,506	5,005
ndation Co.	17.2	15.2	11.6	7,450	1,730	125
linger	14.9	14.8	16.6	2,295	4,615	608
perial Tobacco	13.9	13.6	12.1	5,505	5,290	2,602
ternational Nickel	49.6	49.8	25.3	17,056	27,827	37,802
oll-Frontenac Oil	16.9	16.3	14.0	9,323	4,526	2,140
treal Light, Heat & Power	32.5	32.4	28.2	6,996	5,551	3,830
ional Breweries	43.3	42.9	32.7	2,263	2,723	1,955
anda	54.3	51.9	-	6,445	10,411	-
tapec Oil	5.9	5.0	-	12,265	1,685	-
ssed Metals	27.2	23.9	9.6	6,205	1,319	112
winigan	21.7	21.2	15.4	4,506	1,450	2,383
el of Canada	65.3	63.2	45.0	3,788	919	2,437
kers	28.5	28.7	26.9	5,241	3,107	2,195
Total Sales				238,220	148,736	89,488

As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS.
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields, on the base 1926=100, remained unchanged at 69.7 for the week ending April 10. Yields on the six leading issues used in this index ranged from 2.99 to 3.54 with an average of 3.30 as compared with 2.98 to 3.56 and an average of 3.30 for the preceding week. Montreal reports indicated a slightly easier tone on a quiet market.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1936.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co. Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	-
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS,[x] 1935-1936.
(1926=100)

January	3	73.3
	10	73.1
	17	73.3
	24	71.9
	31	71.1
February	7	70.7
	14	71.0
	21	70.8
	28	70.7
March	6	70.0
	13	70.2
	20	70.4
	27	69.2
April	3	69.7
	10	69.7

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS
1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total +
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	139.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.8	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.2	140.3	329.7	55.4	33.3	110.4	69.6	122.7
Weekly Index Numbers														
April 11th, 1935	128.8	120.0	10.8	56.7	177.7	72.8	125.0	101.9	178.0	43.6	25.1	95.6	54.1	87.7
1936														
March 19th	192.8	133.3	17.7	92.5	234.7	71.9	151.6	134.5	327.0	54.2	32.9	110.1	67.5	120.6
March 26th	197.4	135.8	18.5	91.7	242.9	71.3	151.2	139.2	331.4	54.5	32.6	110.1	68.5	123.0
April 2nd	/ 198.0	134.6	18.6	91.2	/ 242.8	71.0	150.1	139.4	334.7	54.3	32.4	110.4	68.1	123.1
April 9th	202.6	137.7	18.6	93.2	254.5	71.8	151.5	134.2	334.7	54.7	33.1	109.9	68.4	125.5

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included. / Revised figures.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Prices moved lower during the week and the general index for 112 common stocks declined from 125.5 for the week ending April 9 to 123.3 for the week ending April 16. The comparative index for 1935 was 88.8. In the Industrial section, all sub-groups with the exception of Food and Allied Products were lower with Oils, Beverages, and Smelters in the Miscellaneous group leading the decline. Accordingly, the Industrial index dropped from 202.6 for the week of April 9 to 198.7 for the week of April 16. For the week ending April 18, 1935, this index was 131.3. Twenty-three Utilities recorded a fractional loss of 0.7 placing the index at 54.0 for the week of April 16, the minimum since the week of January 30. The Utilities index was 43.8 for the corresponding week last year.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 April 16	1936 April 9	1935 April 18	1936 April 16	1936 April 9	1935 April 18
	$	$	$			
Bell Telephone	144.9	144.3	125.7	526	646	850
Brazilian	12.1	12.5	8.9	8,120	8,864	8,449
British American Oil	25.1	26.1	14.6	7,447	75,833	6,104
Canadian Celanese	27.6	27.1	21.0	2,330	640	1,500
Canadian Dredge & Dru Dock	46.6	48.7	22.4	520	715	1,110
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	9.1	9.3	9.5	5,520	9,585	9,408
Canadian Pacific Railway	13.0	13.2	10.1	3,563	10,229	4,254
Canada Packers	86.2	85.0	-	250	45	-
Consolidated Smelters	277.9	282.3	141.3	1,114	1,258	5,295
Consumers Gas	204.2	200.2	189.0	269	184	136
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	23.1	24.9	15.7	2,310	21,947	170
Ford "A"	24.4	25.8	28.5	5,224	16,059	11,996
Hollinger	14.8	14.9	17.1	1,745	2,295	1,615
Imperial Tobacco	13.9	13.9	12.5	2,140	5,505	1,321
International Nickel	49.4	49.6	26.5	10,747	17,056	34,132
Loblaw "A & B"	19.5	19.3	18.8	1,289	765	3,446
McColl-Frontenac Oil	16.9	16.9	13.5	3,608	9,323	1,031
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	32.4	32.5	28.2	3,044	6,996	2,801
National Breweries	43.2	43.3	32.1	1,472	2,263	3,773
Noranda	54.9	54.3	-	4,358	6,445	-
Pressed Metals	28.8	27.2	9.5	1,564	6,205	647
Shawinigan	21.4	21.7	15.7	1,949	4,506	1,973
Steel of Canada	66.6	65.3	44.5	1,910	3,913	1,913
Walkers	28.0	28.5	26.2	795	5,241	2,115
Weston	14.8	13.9	33.9	1,555	1,210	125
Total Sales				73,369	217,728	104,164

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS.
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields, on the base 1926=100, remained unchanged at 69.7 for the week ending April 17. The range of yields for the six issues used in this index was from 2.98 to 3.53 and the average of 3.30 was the same as for the two preceding weeks. For the first few days trading was light and featureless but on Wednesday a keen demand developed for Canada 3's of '55 and a heavy volume of sales was reported. The remaining two days were quiet and the week ended with the rate of yield shading slightly lower.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1936.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co. Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	-
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS,[x] 1935-1936.
(1926=100)

January	3	73.3
	10	73.1
	17	73.3
	24	71.9
	31	71.1
February	7	70.7
	14	71.0
	21	70.8
	28	70.7
March	6	70.0
	13	70.2
	20	70.4
	27	69.2
April	3	69.7
	10	69.7
	17	69.7

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES			
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total +
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	139.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.8	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.2	140.3	329.7	55.4	33.3	110.4	69.6	122.7
Weekly Index Numbers														
April 18th, 1935	131.3	120.2	11.3	56.6	179.5	72.8	125.9	100.7	185.6	43.8	25.3	96.1	54.3	88.8
1936														
March 19th	192.8	133.3	17.7	92.5	234.7	71.9	151.6	134.5	327.0	54.2	32.9	110.1	67.5	120.6
March 26th	197.4	135.8	18.5	91.7	242.9	71.3	151.2	139.2	331.4	54.5	32.6	110.1	68.5	123.0
April 2nd	198.0	134.6	18.6	91.2	242.8	71.0	150.1	139.4	334.7	54.3	32.4	110.4	68.1	123.1
April 9th	202.6	137.7	18.6	93.2	254.5	71.8	151.5	134.2	334.7	54.7	33.1	109.9	68.4	125.5
April 16th	198.7	134.7	18.1	91.8	247.0	71.7	152.7	130.3	332.8	54.0	32.6	110.3	67.5	123.3

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Prices continued downward for the second consecutive week and the general index dropped from 123.3 for the week of April 16 to 120.4 for the week of April 23. This index is almost on a par with that of March 19 and the comparative index for 1935 was 89.8. The index for eighty-nine Industrials receded from 198.7 for the week of April 16 to 193.8 for the week of April 23. Declines occurred in all sub-groups except Textiles and Clothing but Oils, Beverages and Smelters and Nickel in the Miscellaneous sub-group suffered most severe losses. Twenty-Three Utilities moved downward to 53.0 for the week ending April 23. This index compares with 54.0 for the preceding week and 44.6 for the corresponding week last year. Transportation and Power and Traction were lower while Telephone and Telegraph remained unchanged.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 April 23	1936 April 16	1935 April 25	1936 April 23	1936 April 16	1935 April 25
	$	$	$			
Bathurst Power & Paper	12.8	13.7	5.1	3,665	1,445	90
Bell Telephone	144.8	144.9	127.2	779	526	416
Brazilian	11.9	12.1	9.4	18,804	8,120	8,141
British American Oil	24.2	25.1	14.8	13,243	7,447	1,263
Canadian Celanese	28.2	27.6	21.6	1,430	2,330	630
Canadian Dredge & Dry Dock	47.1	46.6	23.0	980	520	91
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	8.7	9.1	9.0	6,235	5,520	4,326
Canadian Pacific Railway	12.2	13.0	10.6	8,686	3,563	3,894
Consolidated Smelters	273.0	277.9	150.5	1,679	1,114	10,660
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	22.2	23.1	15.1	4,900	2,310	1,215
Dominion Bridge	37.0	37.8	26.1	1,214	357	130
Ford "A"	23.6	24.4	28.8	6,561	5,224	3,523
Gollinger	14.7	14.8	17.2	2,707	1,745	1,467
International Nickel	47.7	49.4	26.9	33,722	10,747	23,624
Noblaw	19.3	19.5	18.6	3,504	1,289	929
McColl-Frontenac Oil	16.8	16.9	13.6	6,918	3,608	1,007
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	32.2	32.4	28.2	5,060	3,044	2,705
Moore	33.2	34.9	18.8	1,742	543	475
National Breweries	42.8	43.2	32.8	2,288	1,472	663
Noranda	53.7	54.9	-	5,356	4,358	-
Shawinigan	21.5	21.4	15.6	2,659	1,949	1,326
Steel of Canada	65.7	66.6	44.3	2,069	1,910	635
Union Gas	10.6	10.1	4.6	5,609	1,593	100
Walkers	27.5	28.0	25.3	6,119	795	3,160
Weston	14.8	14.8	33.9	2,895	1,555	335
TOTAL SALES				148,824	73,084	70,805

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS.
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields, on the base 1926=100, declined from 69.7 for the week ending April 17 to 69.1 for the week ending April 24. This is the lowest point the index has reached in the current century and is 2.7 below that of the corresponding week of last year. Trading was generally dull at Montreal although some demand developed for 3's of '55. Yields dropped slightly in the middle of the week but the final day saw a partial recovery which raised the average for the issues used in this index to 3.28 as compared with 3.30 for the previous week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1936.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co. Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
anuary	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
ebruary	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
arch	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
pril	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
ay	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
une	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
uly	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
ugust	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
eptember	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
ctober	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
ovember	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
ecember	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
anuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
ebruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
arch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
pril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	-
ay	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
une	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
uly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
ugust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
eptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
tober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
vember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
cember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS[x], 1935-1936.
(1926=100)

January	3	73.3
	10	73.1
	17	73.3
	24	71.9
	31	71.1
February	7	70.7
	14	71.0
	21	70.8
	28	70.7
March	6	70.0
	13	70.2
	20	70.4
	27	69.2
April	3	69.7
	10	69.7
	17	69.7
	24	69.1

[x] Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total +
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	139.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.8	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	7.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.2	140.3	329.7	55.4	33.3	110.4	69.6	122.7
Weekly Index Numbers														
April 25th, 1935	133.1	120.5	11.3	55.5	182.6	73.7	126.0	98.2	189.3	44.6	26.6	97.2	54.5	89.8
1936														
March 19th	192.8	133.3	17.7	92.5	234.7	71.9	151.6	134.5	327.0	54.2	32.9	110.1	67.5	120.6
March 26th	197.4	135.8	18.5	91.7	242.9	71.3	151.2	139.2	331.4	54.5	32.6	110.1	68.5	123.0
April 2nd	198.0	134.6	18.6	91.2	242.8	71.0	150.1	139.4	334.7	54.3	32.4	110.4	68.1	123.1
April 9th	202.6	137.7	18.6	93.2	254.5	71.8	151.5	134.2	334.7	54.7	33.1	109.9	68.4	125.5
April 16th	198.7	134.7	18.1	91.8	247.0	71.7	152.7	130.3	332.8	54.0	32.6	110.3	67.5	123.3
April 23rd	193.8	130.8	17.4	90.3	241.6	71.8	151.4	126.5	323.0	53.0	30.6	110.3	67.0	120.4

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Wide recessions were fairly general on Canadian stock markets on Monday and prices continued downward during the remainder of the week. Accordingly, the general index declined from 120.4 for the week of April 23 to 115.7 for the week of April 30, the minimum since the week of January 9. For the week ending May 2, 1935, this index was 89.4. In the Industrial section all sub-groups were lower and the index dropped from 193.8 for April 23 to 186.2 for April 30. The comparative index for 1935 was 132.4. Industrial stocks to suffer marked declines were Canada Packers, Steel of Canada, Ogilvie, Oils, Consolidated Smelters and International Nickel. Twenty-three Utilities were lower for the third successive week registering a loss of 2.1 points. The index was 50.9 for the week ending April 30 as compared with 53.0 for the previous week and 43.7 for the corresponding week last year.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 April 30	1936 April 23	1935 May 2	1936 April 30	1936 April 23	1935 May 2
	$	$	$			
Bell Telephone	142.9	144.8	125.0	458	779	579
Brazilian	10.9	11.9	9.0	21,609	18,804	4,711
British American Oil	23.0	24.2	14.5	16,622	13,243	2,408
Canadian Dredge & Dry Dock	46.3	47.1	22.3	666	980	127
Canadian Industrial Alcohol "A"	8.4	8.7	9.5	10,180	6,235	14,751
Canadian Pacific Railway	11.4	12.2	10.4	11,949	8,686	9,973
Consolidated Smelters	257.2	273.0	160.9	2,276	1,679	10,601
Consumers' Gas	200.0	203.2	188.3	233	102	147
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	20.1	22.2	14.3	5,680	4,900	605
Dominion Bridge	35.2	37.0	26.0	1,880	1,214	683
Ford "A"	21.9	23.6	27.1	9,390	6,561	8,266
Hollinger	14.8	14.7	16.7	3,160	2,707	2,522
Imperial Tobacco	13.7	13.8	12.9	2,882	2,400	1,351
International Nickel	45.4	47.7	27.2	70,741	33,722	23,567
Loblaw	19.4	19.3	18.5	3,079	3,504	1,599
McColl-Frontenac Oil	16.1	16.8	13.0	5,146	6,918	2,513
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	31.3	32.2	27.2	6,114	5,060	5,954
National Breweries	42.4	42.8	32.2	1,860	2,288	1,429
Noranda	52.0	53.7	-	6,966	5,356	-
Pantapec Oil	6.1	5.8	-	12,700	4,005	-
Shawinigan	21.2	21.5	15.2	3,886	2,659	1,469
Steel of Canada	63.0	65.7	43.9	1,142	2,069	1,221
Union Gas	10.4	10.6	4.4	6,105	5,609	1,327
Walkers	28.4	27.5	24.8	8,368	6,119	7,504
Weston Ltd.	13.8	14.8	33.5	2,705	2,895	927
TOTAL SALES				209,797	148,494	104,234

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS.
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields, on the base 1926=100, rose from 69.1 for the week ending April 24 to 69.2 for the week ending May 1. Yields of the issues used in this index ranged from 2.98 to 3.51 with an average of 3.27. For the greater part of the week, trading was very light on the Montreal market, but a little activity developed in the conversions at the end of the month and yields moved slightly lower.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1936.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co. Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	10[illegible]	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September	112.7	130.4	124.[illegible]	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS[x], 1936.
(1926=100)

February	7	70.7
	14	71.0
	21	70.8
	28	70.7
March	6	70.0
	13	70.2
	20	70.4
	27	69.2
April	3	69.7
	10	69.7
	17	69.7
	24	69.1
May	1	69.2

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total +
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	139.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.8	196.8	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	7.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.3	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.2	140.3	329.7	55.4	33.3	110.4	69.6	122.7
Weekly Index Numbers														
May 2nd 1935	132.4	117.7	10.9	58.2	178.3	72.2	126.5	97.1	192.6	43.7	26.1	95.6	53.2	89.4
1936														
March 19th	192.8	133.3	17.7	92.5	234.7	71.9	151.6	134.5	327.0	54.2	32.9	110.1	67.5	120.6
March 26th	197.4	135.8	18.5	91.7	242.9	71.3	151.2	139.2	331.4	54.5	32.6	110.1	68.5	123.0
April 2nd	198.0	134.6	18.6	91.2	242.8	71.0	150.1	139.4	334.7	54.3	32.4	110.4	68.1	123.1
April 9th	202.6	137.7	18.6	93.2	254.5	71.8	151.5	134.2	334.7	54.7	33.1	109.9	68.4	125.5
April 16th	198.7	134.7	18.1	91.8	247.0	71.7	152.7	130.3	332.8	54.0	32.6	110.3	67.5	123.3
April 23rd	193.8	130.8	17.4	90.3	241.6	71.8	151.4	126.5	323.0	53.0	30.6	110.3	67.0	120.4
April 30th	186.2	124.0	15.5	86.4	233.5	70.6	148.1	122.8	307.4	50.9	28.6	108.9	64.6	115.7

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Irregularly higher prices prevailed on Canadian stock markets during the week and the general index advanced after suffering [illegible] losses in the preceding three weeks. The general index for 112 common stocks was 116.8 for May 7 as compared with 115.7 for the previous week and 91.6 for the corresponding week last year. The index for 89 Industrials rose from 186.2 for April 30 to 188.0 for May 7, influenced chiefly by Consolidated Smelters, International Petroleum, and Ford "A". The comparative index for 1935 was 135.7. Twenty-three Utilities registered a fractional gain over last week and two of the sub-groups were higher. The Utilities index moved upward from 50.9 for April 30 to 51.4 for May 7. For the week ending May 9, 1935, this index was 43.6.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 May 7	1936 April 30	1935 May 9	1936 May 7	1936 April 30	1935 May 9
	$	$	$			
Bathurst Power & Paper	13.2	12.0	5.0	5,910	2,561	2,320
Bell Telephone	143.7	142.9	124.5	790	458	402
Brazilian	10.5	10.9	8.9	15,566	21,609	2,448
British American Oil	22.7	23.0	14.7	16,781	16,622	6,735
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	8.2	8.4	10.0	12,530	10,180	22,240
Canadian Pacific Railway	12.1	11.4	10.3	12,196	11,949	6,336
Consolidated Smelters	55.6	257.2	159.6	18,391	2,276	3,356
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	20.9	20.1	14.7	6,785	5,680	75
Dominion Bridge	35.8	35.2	26.8	943	1,880	828
Dominion Textile	67.6	71.8	76.0	671	380	208
Fanny Farmer	14.3	13.6	7.9	2,757	2,070	1,335
Ford "A"	23.3	21.9	27.0	8,700	9,390	2,046
Hollinger	15.1	14.8	16.6	2,630	[illegible]	1,510
Imperial Tobacco	13.6	13.7	12.7	2,582	2,882	1,626
International Nickel	45.4	45.4	27.7	37,030	70,741	28,374
Loblaw	19.2	19.4	18.2	3,327	3,079	1,095
McColl-Frontenac Oil	15.3	16.1	13.5	4,942	5,146	3,105
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	31.3	31.3	27.5	5,518	6,114	4,273
National Breweries	42.0	42.9	32.6	2,680	1,860	3,148
Noranda	53.1	52.0	-	5,145	6,966	-
Pantapec Oil	6.4	6.1	-	6,510	12,700	-
Shawinigan	20.6	21.2	15.1	2,606	3,886	2,964
Steel of Canada	62.6	63.0	44.7	1,410	1,142	2,000
Walkers	28.3	28.4	24.9	1,337	2,368	1,956
Weston Ltd.	14.4	13.8	34.8	2,690	2,705	1,177
TOTAL SALES				180,427	207,804	99,557

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields on the base 1926=100, declined from 69.2 for the week ending May 1 to 68.9 for the week ending May 8. This was the lowest point reached by the index since its inception in 1919. A steady decline was shown throughout the week and the average yield of the six leading issues used in this index was 3.25 as compared with 3.27 for the preceding week. For the first few days turnover in the high grades, as reported by Montreal, was negligible although the undertone was firm. On the 6th, however, a keen demand was uncovered for middle-terms and issues of longer maturities advanced as well. During the remainder of the week trading was relatively quiet with interest turning more to the conversions.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1936.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co.Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September ...	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September ...	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS[x], 1936.
(1926=100)

February	7	70.7
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Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

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Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ✓
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	139.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1930 - High	227.6	236.4	71.0	196.8	301.9	80.6	149.5	92.1	337.9	145.6	141.0	118.5	169.2	178.7
Low	116.7	139.3	24.2	101.7	172.5	61.7	104.3	59.2	137.5	103.2	95.3	106.1	113.3	102.0
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	7.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.2	140.3	329.7	55.4	33.3	110.4	69.6	122.7
April	194.2	131.7	17.6	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.8	131.9	319.0	53.1	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.3
Weekly Index Numbers														
May 9th, 1935	135.7	118.4	11.1	57.9	187.4	70.6	125.1	99.7	194.9	43.6	25.8	95.2	53.4	91.6
1936														
April 9th	202.6	137.7	18.6	93.2	254.5	71.8	151.5	134.2	334.7	54.7	33.1	109.9	68.4	125.5
April 16th	198.7	134.7	18.1	91.8	247.0	71.7	152.7	130.3	332.8	54.0	32.6	110.3	67.5	123.3
April 23rd	193.8	130.8	17.4	90.3	241.6	71.8	151.4	126.5	323.0	53.0	30.6	110.3	67.0	120.4
April 30th	[illegible].2	124.0	16.5	86.0	233.5	70.6	148.1	122.8	307.4	50.9	28.6	108.9	64.6	115.7
May 7th	188.0	125.9	16.9	86.4	236.1	67.4	146.4	123.5	311.0	51.4	30.3	109.4	63.9	116.8

x Weekly figures. ✓ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

The reactionary upward movement of last week was continued for the week of May 14 and the general index was 118.0 as compared with 116.8 for the previous week. The comparative index for last year was 96.8. In the Industrial section, all sub-groups with the exception of Iron and Steel were higher and the index advanced from 188.0 for the week ending May 7 to 190.0 for the week of May 14. Most of the stocks included in the Beverage sub-group were quite active with higher prices in the latter part of the week and were chiefly responsible for the gain in the Industrial index. For the week ending May 16, 1935, this index was 143.9. Twenty-three Utilities moved slightly upward registering a gain of the same proportion as that of last week. All sub-groups showed fractional increases and the Utilities index was 51.9 for May 14 as compared with 51.4 for May 7 and 44.2 for the corresponding week in 1935.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 May 14	1936 May 7	1935 May 16	1936 May 14	1936 May 7	1935 May 16
	$	$	$			
Bathurst Power & Paper	14.1	13.2	4.6	5,166	5,910	655
Bell Telephone	144.6	143.7	124.2	406	790	569
Brazilian	10.6	10.5	9.1	9,449	15,566	11,400
British American Oil	23.1	22.7	15.3	7,151	16,781	15,907
Canadian Celanese	26.5	26.3	21.4	1,434	535	948
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	8.8	8.2	9.5	20,379	12,530	9,945
Canadian Pacific Railway	12.4	12.1	10.8	10,847	12,196	10,553
Consolidated Smelters	56.1	55.6	167.3	7,969	18,391	6,360
Consumers' Gas	199.6	199.9	187.5	120	153	271
Crown Cork & Seal	15.0	15.0	-	1,055	300	-
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	24.4	20.9	14.7	44,666	6,785	1,117
Dominion Bridge	37.2	35.8	28.4	705	943	2,432
Electrolux Corporation	24.0	24.0	-	770	1,090	-
Ford "A"	22.3	23.3	27.2	2,489	8,700	6,577
Gollinger	15.0	15.1	16.1	1,660	2,600	3,460
Imperial Tobacco	13.7	13.6	13.0	1,472	2,582	3,091
International Nickel	45.6	45.4	28.6	30,343	37,030	44,055
McColl-Frontenac Oil	15.4	15.3	14.4	2,628	4,942	6,495
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	31.7	31.3	27.6	3,264	5,518	12,305
Moore	33.5	32.7	19.5	1,280	880	750
National Breweries	42.7	42.0	34.3	1,340	2,680	8,055
Noranda	54.2	53.1	-	3,731	5,145	-
Shawinigan	20.7	20.6	15.4	2,155	2,606	4,017
Steel of Canada	62.7	62.6	45.2	684	1,410	2,412
Walkers	30.2	28.3	25.0	7,737	1,337	6,076
TOTAL SALES				168,900	167,400	157,450

[x] As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1919-1936.

(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics commences publication in this release of weekly and monthly index numbers of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices. These series are exact counterparts of the weekly and monthly indexes of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields extending back to 1919 which were first issued in May 1935. Construction and weighting methods were fully described at that time. The new price index has been computed from the same issues and is weighted in exactly the same manner. It represents the movement of actual market prices of Dominion government long-term bonds from week to week and month to month. As may be noted from the chart on the following page, prices move inversely to yields, but the amplitude of index fluctuations is greater for yields than for prices.

A bond yield in reciprocal or inverse form represents the price of a bond in perpetuity, whereas the market price of a bond is reckoned to a fixed maturity date, representing a definitely limited life. In order to obtain a picture of bond market price trends therefore, an index of actual market prices is essential. It indicates strength or weakness in prices, whereas the yield index shows approximately the movement of long-term interest rates.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	94.1	94.5	90.9	95.7	98.3	99.3	100.4	100.1	101.3
February	94.5	94.0	92.1	96.4	99.4	99.2	100.5	100.1	101.7
March	96.0	93.2	91.7	96.6	99.4	98.7	100.5	100.0	101.6
April	96.9	92.5	90.9	96.7	99.5	98.8	100.4	99.9	102.4
May	96.9	91.5	91.5	97.0	99.2	98.8	100.4	100.0	103.0
June	97.5	90.8	91.0	96.4	99.3	98.9	100.7	99.9	102.5
July	96.6	90.1	91.3	96.5	99.2	99.3	100.4	100.0	102.0
August	96.3	89.3	91.3	96.8	99.2	99.8	100.1	100.0	102.9
September	96.3	88.7	91.3	96.8	99.1	100.1	100.1	99.9	102.6
October	95.9	88.1	91.3	96.7	98.7	100.4	100.0	99.8	103.2
November	95.8	87.4	93.6	96.2	98.5	100.4	99.8	99.9	103.8
December	95.1	88.8	94.7	97.2	98.7	100.2	100.0	100.4	105.3

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	-
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	-
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	-
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS

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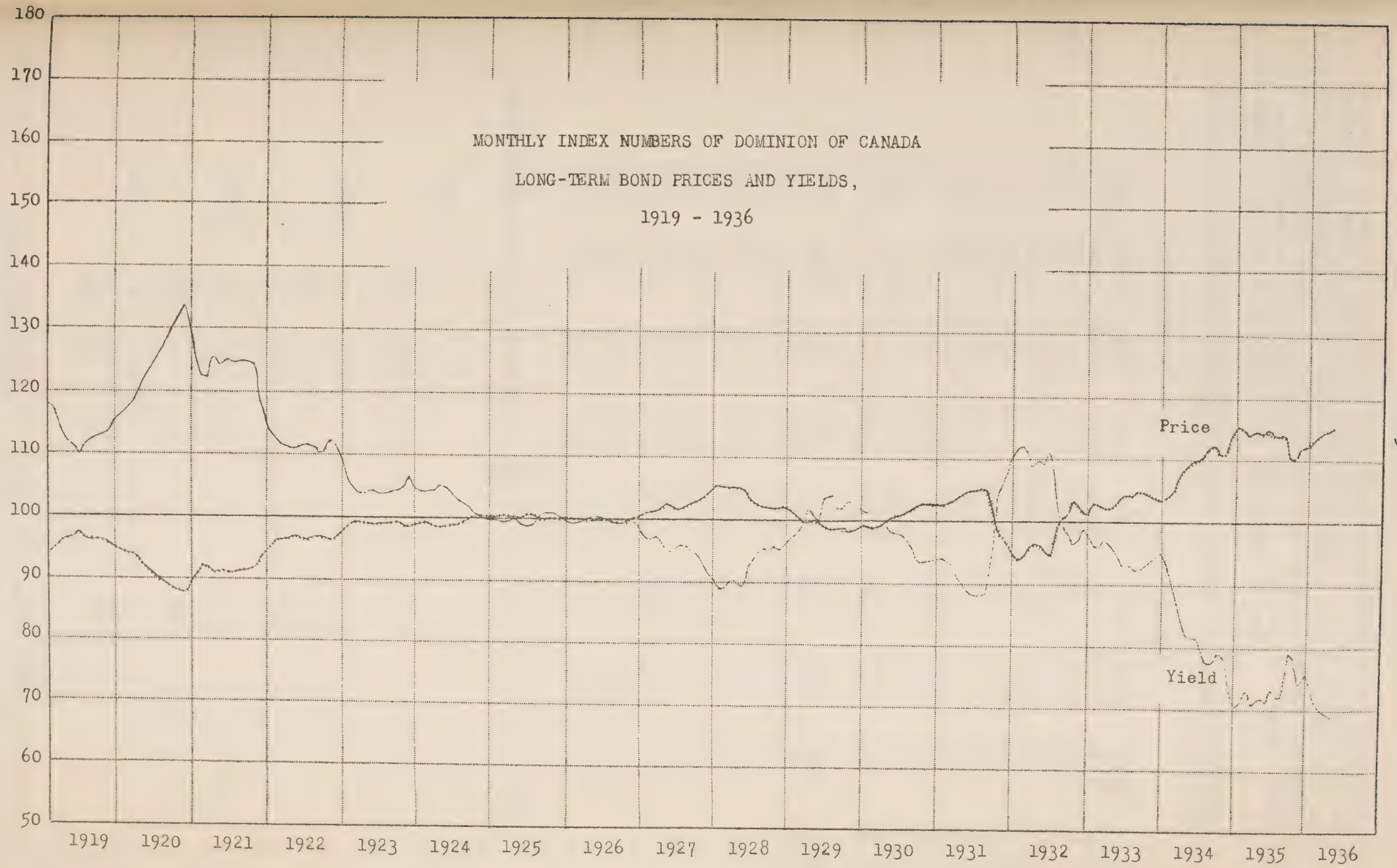
	January	February	March	April	May
1st Week	113.2	115.1	115.5	115.6	115.7
2nd Week	113.2	114.8	115.4	115.7	115.9
3rd Week	113.1	115.0	115.2	115.7	116.1
4th Week	113.8	115.1	115.9	115.7	-
5th Week	114.5	-	-	-	-


MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA
LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS,
1919 - 1936
Price
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WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS
(1926=100)

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields, on the base 1926=100, continued downward and fell from 68.9 for the week ending May 8 to 68.6 for the week ending May 15. The average yield of the six issues used in this index was 3.24 as compared with 3.25 for the preceding period. Fluctuations were narrow but the yields for most of the issues closed at a slightly higher level. Reports from Montreal indicated a very dull market with limited offerings and indifferent demand.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1936.
(1926=100)

(From data issued by A.E. Ames & Co.Ltd.)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September.....	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

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1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	139.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	7.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.8	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.2	140.3	329.7	55.4	33.3	110.4	69.6	122.7
April	194.2	131.7	17.6	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.8	131.9	319.0	53.1	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.3
Weekly Index Numbers														
May 16th, 1935	143.9	120.1	10.9	57.9	209.6	70.4	127.2	100.8	201.5	44.2	27.1	95.0	53.5	96.8
1936														
April 9th	202.6	137.7	18.6	93.2	254.5	71.8	151.5	134.2	334.7	54.7	33.1	109.9	68.4	125.5
April 16th	198.7	134.7	18.1	91.8	247.0	71.7	152.7	130.3	332.8	54.0	32.6	110.3	67.5	123.3
April 23rd	193.8	130.8	17.4	90.3	241.6	71.8	151.4	126.5	323.0	53.0	30.6	110.3	67.0	120.4
April 30th	186.2	124.0	16.5	86.0	233.5	70.6	148.1	122.8	307.4	50.9	28.6	108.9	64.6	115.7
May 7th	188.0	125.9	16.9	86.4	236.1	67.4	146.4	123.5	311.0	51.4	30.3	109.4	63.9	116.8
May 14th	190.0	125.1	17.1	86.9	239.0	67.9	147.6	132.9	312.3	51.9	31.1	110.1	64.3	118.0

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Common stock prices were slightly higher for the third successive week and e general index for 112 common stocks advanced from 118.0 for the week ending May 14 119.2 for the week ending May 21. The comparative index for last year was 100.7. ghty-nine Industrials gained 1.3 points, the index being 191.3 for May 21 as compared th 190.0 for the previous week and 150.4 for the corresponding week last year. All sub-oups, with the exception of Iron and Steel and Food and Allied Products registered in-eases and among the stocks to show notable gains were Ogilvie, Dominion Textile and ore. The index for twenty-three Utilities mounted from 51.9 for the week of May 14 to .0 for the week of May 21. Brazilian and Consumers Gas in the Power and Traction sub-oup were chiefly responsible for the gain in the Utilities index. For the week ending 23, 1935, this index was 45.4.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS (x)

	PRICES 1936 May 21 $	PRICES 1936 May 14 $	PRICES 1935 May 23 $	SALES 1936 May 21	SALES 1936 May 14	SALES 1935 May 23
hurst Power & Paper	14.1	14.1	4.7	2,905	5,166	310
l Telephone	144.8	144.6	125.8	545	406	1,270
zilian	12.9	10.6	9.5	56,035	9,449	9,124
tish American Oil	23.0	23.1	16.0	6,191	7,151	9,112
tish Columbia Power "A"	29.2	28.8	24.7	2,035	412	993
adian Industrial Alcohol "A"	8.4	8.8	9.5	6,132	20,379	3,615
adian Pacific Railway	12.4	12.4	11.3	6,725	10,847	9,164
solidated Smelters	55.8	56.1	179.5	3,639	7,969	9,679
sumers Gas	201.6	199.6	184.9	178	120	362
tillers Corp.-Seagrams	25.3	24.4	16.6	23,686	44,666	1,050
inion Bridge	36.9	37.2	30.1	1,180	705	2,562
inion Textile	69.9	68.0	75.0	386	227	190
d "A"	22.0	22.3	26.9	3,381	2,489	3,628
erial Tobacco	13.7	13.7	13.0	2,994	1,472	4,712
ernational Nickel	46.6	45.6	28.8	16,522	30,343	25,287
claw "A & B"	18.7	19.7	18.6	3,114	738	2,565
coll Frontenac Oil	15.1	15.4	14.2	2,527	2,628	4,854
treal Light, Heat & Power	31.3	31.7	28.7	4,392	3,264	7,378
re	35.4	33.8	20.3	1,445	1,280	1,463
ional Breweries	42.5	42.7	34.8	1,958	1,340	5,030
anda	54.6	54.2	-	5,556	3,731	-
cer Corporation	14.0	13.6	8.1	1,996	509	712
winigan	20.5	20.7	16.2	2,441	2,155	4,191
tel of Canada	62.3	62.7	47.4	991	684	3,912
kers	30.1	30.2	26.6	1,429	7,737	6,524
TOTAL SALES				158,383	165,867	117,687

() As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices fell from 116.1 for the week ending May 15 to 115.8 for the week ending May 22. During the earlier part of the week trading was almost at a standstill in the high-grade section at Montreal and bids were easy, but on the 20th an announcement by the Canadian chartered banks of a reduction in the interest rate on savings from 2 p.c. to 1½ p.c. effective June 1st, stimulated demand and bids became firmer.

The index number of yields, computed from the same six Dominion issues used in the above price index, rose from 68.6 for the week ending May 15 to 69.0 for the week ending May 22. The average yield for the week was 3.26 as compared with 3.24 for the preceding week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A. E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	-
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	-
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	-
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A. E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x], 1936

Date		Prices	Yields
February	7	115.1	70.7
	14	114.8	71.0
	21	115.0	70.8
	28	115.1	70.7
March	6	115.5	70.0
	13	115.4	70.2
	20	115.2	70.4
	27	115.9	69.2
April	3	115.6	69.7
	10	115.7	69.7
	17	115.7	69.7
	24	115.7	69.1
May	1	115.7	69.2
	8	115.9	68.9
	15	116.1	68.6
	22	115.8	69.0

[x]Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total +
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	139.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	7.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.2	140.3	329.7	55.4	33.3	110.4	69.6	122.7
April	194.2	131.7	17.6	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.8	131.9	319.0	53.1	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.3
Weekly Index Numbers														
May 23rd, 1935	150.4	122.4	11.1	61.3	226.9	71.5	129.4	106.1	204.7	45.4	28.3	96.1	54.7	100.7
1936														
April 9th	202.6	137.7	18.6	93.2	254.5	71.8	151.5	134.2	334.7	54.7	33.1	109.9	68.4	125.5
April 16th	198.7	134.7	18.1	91.8	247.0	71.7	152.7	130.3	332.8	54.0	32.6	110.3	67.5	123.3
April 23rd	193.8	130.8	17.4	90.3	241.6	71.8	151.4	126.5	323.0	53.0	30.6	110.3	67.0	120.4
April 30th	186.2	124.0	16.5	86.0	233.5	70.6	148.1	122.8	307.4	50.9	28.6	108.9	64.6	115.7
May 7th	188.0	125.9	16.9	86.4	236.1	67.4	146.4	123.5	311.0	51.4	30.3	109.4	63.9	116.8
May 14th	190.0	125.1	17.1	86.9	239.0	67.9	147.6	132.9	312.3	51.9	31.1	110.1	64.3	118.0
May 21st	191.3	124.3	17.4	90.1	239.4	69.0	145.2	133.7	317.4	53.0	31.1	110.3	66.5	119.2

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Common stocks showed little activity in the past week but slight recessions in price were fairly common. Accordingly, the general index for 112 common stocks declined from 119.2 for the week of May 21 to 117.9 for the week of May 28. For the week ending May 30, 1935, the index was 98.7. The rally in the Industrial section during the first three weeks of May was interrupted in the week of May 28 and this index dropped back two points to 189.3. The comparative index for last year was 147.2. All sub-groups, with the exception of Food and Allied Products and Miscellaneous, were lower, with Milling due to Ogilvie and Oils heading the decline. Utilities followed the lead of Industrials and this index receded from 53.0 for the week ending May 21 to 52.3 for the week ending May 28. For the corresponding week in 1935, the index was 44.6. Bell Telephone and Consumers' Gas were chiefly responsible for the fractional drop in the Utilities index.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 May 28 $	1936 May 21 $	1935 May 30 $	1936 May 28	1936 May 21	1935 May 30
Bell Telephone	142.8	144.8	124.3	602	545	557
Brazilian	12.5	12.9	9.8	9,308	56,035	21,454
British American Oil	23.1	23.0	16.1	2,592	6,191	8,186
British Columbia Power "A"	29.1	29.2	24.8	802	2,035	814
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	7.8	8.4	8.7	7,658	6,132	3,165
Canadian Pacific Railway	12.4	12.4	10.9	6,495	6,725	5,154
Consolidated Smelters	56.4	55.8	173.9+	3,247	3,639	5,791
Consumers Gas	199.9	201.6	185.1	170	178	147
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	23.6	25.3	15.0	2,320	23,686	10
Ford "A"	22.0	22.0	26.5	2,211	3,381	3,128
Goodyear Tire	68.8	68.0	-	285	45	-
Hollinger	15.3	15.1	14.7	1,710	1,435	1,691
Imperial Tobacco	13.8	13.7	13.1	2,047	2,994	2,572
International Nickel	46.8	46.6	27.8	10,390	16,522	32,511
Lake of the Woods	21.1	18.6	8.9	2,692	471	480
Loblaw	19.0	18.7	18.7	2,782	3,114	2,890
McColl-Frontenac Oil	15.0	15.1	14.0	1,956	2,527	2,513
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	30.6	31.3	28.2	5,811	4,392	5,785
Moore	35.8	35.4	20.9	1,146	1,445	445
National Breweries	42.7	42.5	34.4	1,885	1,958	2,452
Noranda	55.7	54.6	-	5,257	5,556	-
Page-Hersey	88.0	88.6	85.6	225	246	70
Shawinigan	20.3	20.5	15.7	1,512	2,441	1,101
Steel of Canada	62.3	62.3	47.7	683	991	1,326
Walkers	28.8	30.1	24.9	1,044	1,429	1,857
TOTAL SALES				74,830	154,113	104,099

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.
+ Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928 - 1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 115.8 for the week ending May 22 to 115.9 for the week ending May 29. Prices were firm at the beginning of the week but interest was lacking and an easier tone developed latterly. The announcement of a reduction in interest rates on the Province of Alberta's bonded indebtedness, to become effective June 1, had little effect upon the market for Dominion issues and bids were unchanged to slightly lower.

The index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 69.0 to 68.8 during the week. The average yield on the six issues used in this index was 3.25 as compared with 3.26 for the previous week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928 - 1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	-
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	-
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	-
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928 - 1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	92.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	-
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
March	6	115.5	70.0
	13	115.4	70.2
	20	115.2	70.4
	27	115.9	69.2
April	3	115.6	69.7
	10	115.7	69.7
	17	115.7	69.7
	24	115.7	69.1
May	1	115.7	69.2
	8	115.9	68.9
	15	116.1	68.6
	22	115.8	69.0
	29	115.9	68.8

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES			
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ≠
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.6	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.2	140.3	329.7	55.4	33.3	110.4	69.6	122.7
April	194.2	131.7	17.6	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.8	131.9	319.0	53.1	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.3
Weekly Index Numbers														
May 30th, 1935	147.2	121.2	10.5	62.1	224.0	70.6	129.0	100.3	198.5	44.6	27.3	95.0	54.1	98.7
1936														
April 16th	198.7	134.7	18.1	91.8	247.0	71.7	152.7	130.3	332.8	54.0	32.6	110.3	67.5	123.3
April 23rd	193.8	130.8	17.4	90.3	241.6	71.8	151.4	126.5	323.0	53.0	30.6	110.3	67.0	120.4
April 30th	186.2	124.0	16.5	86.0	233.5	70.6	148.1	122.8	307.4	50.9	28.6	108.9	64.6	115.7
May 7th	188.0	125.9	16.9	86.4	236.1	67.4	146.4	123.5	311.0	51.4	30.3	109.4	63.9	116.8
May 14th	190.0	125.1	17.1	86.9	239.0	67.9	147.6	132.9	312.3	51.9	31.1	110.1	64.3	118.0
May 21st	191.3	124.3	17.4	90.1	239.4	69.0	145.2	133.7	317.4	53.0	31.1	110.3	66.5	119.2
May 28th	189.3	123.8	16.9	83.6	234.8	68.9	145.8	128.2	318.8	52.3	31.1	108.8	65.4	117.9

x Weekly figures. ≠ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Although prices of the majority of common stocks moved slightly higher or remained unchanged, the general index for 112 common stocks, influenced by a few of the more important industrials, recorded a fractional loss during the past week. This index was 117.4 for the week of June 4 as compared with 117.9 for the preceding week and 98.0 for the corresponding week in 1935. In the Industrial section, losses in Oils and Beverages more than outweighed gains in the other sub-groups and the index dropped from 189.3 for the week ending May 28 to 187.6 for the week ending June 4. For the week of June 6, 1935, the Industrial index was 147.1. Weakness was apparent in Canadian Oil, Imperial Oil, International Petroleum and Distillers Corporation-Seagrams. The index for 23 Utilities advanced from 52.3 for May 28 to 53.0 for June 4, offsetting the decline of the previous week. All sub-groups were higher with Telephone and Telegraph leading, due chiefly to the advance in price of Bell Telephone. The comparative index for last year was 44.2

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 June 4	1936 May 28	1935 June 6	1936 June 4	1936 May 28	1935 June 6
	$	$	$			
Bathurst Power & Paper	14.0	14.0	4.8	1,751	1,390	320
Bell Telephone	145.9	142.8	124.7	895	602	747
Brazilian	12.2	12.5	9.6	13,490	9,308	6,938
British American Oil	23.1	23.1	16.1	3,588	2,592	5,560
British Columbia Power "A"	29.7	29.1	24.8	843	802	1,661
Canadian Dredge & Dry Dock	45.4	44.9	23.9	787	187	225
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	7.5	7.8	8.1	6,675	7,658	2,350
Canadian Pacific Railway	12.6	12.4	10.5	12,862	6,495	5,684
Consolidated Smelters	56.2	56.4	170.6	4,627	3,247	2,566
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	22.4	23.6	15.3	3,359	2,320	285
Dominion Bridge	37.1	36.4	27.9	1,966	520	1,300
Ford "A"	21.6	22.0	25.5	8,158	2,211	2,101
Hollinger	16.1	15.3	14.9	7,110	1,710	1,670
Imperial Tobacco	13.9	13.8	13.1	6,479	2,047	2,197
International Nickel	46.9	46.8	28.2	10,703	10,390	14,471
Loblaw	19.8	19.0	18.5	3,441	2,782	2,300
McColl-Frontenac Oil	15.0	15.0	13.8	2,236	1,956	565
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	31.6	30.6	28.1	8,414	5,811	3,070
Moore	35.9	35.8	21.3	1,244	1,146	2,105
National Breweries	43.3	42.7	34.6	1,845	1,885	960
Noranda	57.6	55.7	-	9,836	5,257	-
Pantepec Oil	6.1	5.8	-	5,915	1,915	-
Shawinigan	20.2	20.3	16.0	3,430	1,512	1,507
Steel of Canada	62.6	62.3	46.7	1,192	683	2,327
Weston	15.4	14.1	31.4	4,028	1,205	3,252
TOTAL SALES				124,874	75,631	64,161

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term ond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 115.9 for the week ending May 29 to .16.1 for the week ending June 5. Trading at Montreal was quiet in the early days of he week but the good reception given the new Dominion issues on Wednesday proved an ffective stimulant and a brisker demand resulted. Turnover remained light, however, s offerings failed to appear in any quantity.

The index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 8.8 to 68.5 during the week. This is a new low since the inception of the series in 1919, nd represents an average yield of 3.24 on the issues used in this index.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
anuary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
ebruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
arch	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
pril	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
ay	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
une	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	-
ly	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	-
ugust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
eptember	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
tober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
ovember	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
ecember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
bruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
rch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
ril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
y	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
ne	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
ly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
gust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
ptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
tober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
vember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
cember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS* 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
March	6	115.5	70.0
	13	115.4	70.2
	20	115.2	70.4
	27	115.9	69.2
April	3	115.6	69.7
	10	115.7	69.7
	17	115.7	69.7
	24	115.7	69.1
May	1	115.7	69.2
	8	115.9	68.9
	15	116.1	68.6
	22	115.8	69.0
	29	115.9	68.8
June	5	116.1	68.5

*Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oil[1]	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total[4]
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	111.3
Low	123.7	133.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	+153.0	+140.1	329.7	+55.5	33.3	110.4	+69.7	+122.8
April	194.2	131.7	+17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	+150.7	+131.7	319.0	+53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	+121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
Weekly Index Numbers														
June 6th, 1935	147.1	117.2	10.6	60.7	225.0	67.8	126.3	99.6	199.8	44.2	26.3	95.3	54.3	98.0
1936														
May 7th	188.0	125.9	16.9	86.4	236.1	67.4	146.4	123.5	311.0	51.4	30.3	109.4	63.9	116.8
May 14th	190.0	125.1	17.1	86.9	239.0	67.9	147.6	132.9	312.3	51.9	31.1	110.1	64.3	118.0
May 21st	191.3	124.3	17.4	90.1	239.4	69.0	145.2	133.7	317.4	53.0	31.1	110.3	66.5	119.2
May 28th	189.3	123.8	16.9	83.6	234.8	68.9	145.8	128.2	318.8	52.3	31.1	108.8	65.4	117.9
June 4th	187.6	124.0	17.1	86.3	229.9	69.4	149.1	126.1	319.2	53.0	31.6	111.1	65.9	117.4

x Weekly figures. [1] Banks not included. [4] Corrections due to revision of weights.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Common stocks were more active during the past week especially on Tuesday and Wednesday when prices made slight advances. Consequently, the general index moved up fractionally to 117.6 for the week of June 11 after showing recessions for the preceding two weeks. The comparative index for 1935 was 97.9. In the Industrial section, with five sub-groups slightly higher and three lower, the index rose from 187.6 for the week of June 4 to 187.8 for June 11. For the week ending June 13, 1935, this index was 147.3. The Utilities index registered a minor gain for the second consecutive week, placing the index at 53.2 for the week of June 11, the maximum since the week of April 6. This index was 53.0 for the week of June 4 and 45.1 for the corresponding week last year.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS[x]

	Prices			Sales		
	1936 June 11	1936 June 4	1935 June 13	1936 June 11	1936 June 4	1935 June 13
	$	$	$			
athurst Power & Paper	14.0	14.0	4.9	2,280	1,751	410
ell Telephone	148.7	145.9	129.0	721	895	1,067
razilian	12.3	12.2	9.3	14,873	13,490	5,156
ritish American Oil	23.2	23.1	16.4	5,800	3,588	4,675
ritish Columbia Power "A"	29.7	29.7	25.2	1,069	843	522
anadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	7.7	7.5	8.3	12,060	6,675	2,135
anadian Pacific Railway	12.6	12.6	10.5	4,735	12,862	4,055
onsolidated Smelters	55.8	56.2	169.2	4,892	4,627	3,820
istillers Corp.-Seagrams	21.6	22.4	16.8	4,675	3,359	2,115
ominion Textile	65.3	69.0	69.2	503	235	111
ord "A"	22.2	21.6	24.4	12,801	8,158	5,138
ollinger	16.2	16.1	15.1	4,455	3,110	1,027
perial Tobacco	14.0	13.9	13.1	5,055	6,479	2,271
ternational Nickel	47.0	46.9	28.4	16,395	10,703	11,675
oblaw	19.6	19.8	18.7	2,637	3,441	2,543
:Coll-Frontenac Oil	15.0	15.0	13.9	2,196	2,236	782
ontreal Light, Heat & Power	31.7	31.6	28.8	8,320	8,414	8,774
ore	36.2	35.9	23.0	1,225	1,244	2,355
tional Breweries	44.3	43.3	36.2	1,829	1,845	3,106
randa	58.6	57.6	-	7,928	9,836	-
ntapec Oil	6.0	6.1	-	8,560	5,915	-
awinigan	19.6	20.2	16.5	3,777	3,430	1,753
eel of Canada	62.2	62.6	48.8	1,041	1,192	1,815
ion Gas	10.1	10.2	4.9	3,877	762	5,013
lkers	28.3	28.6	23.9	2,759	567	1,946
Total Sales				134,463	119,657	62,548

[x] As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928 - 1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-
erm bond prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 116.1 for the week ending June 5 to
16.7 for the week ending June 12. Montreal reported light volume at the week-end with
rices firm, but a keener demand then developed and quotations rose steadily during the
alance of the week. Offerings continued scarce, however, and volume was consequently
estricted.

The index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields fell from 68.5
67.4 during the week. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.19
compared with 3.24 for last week and 3.45 for the corresponding week of 1935.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
bruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
rch .	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
ril	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
y	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
ne	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	-
ly	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	-
gust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
ptember	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
tober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
vember	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
cember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
uary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
bruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
rch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
ril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
y	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
ne	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
ly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
gust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
tember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
tober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
ember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
ember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
March	6	115.5	70.0
	13	115.4	70.2
	20	115.2	70.4
	27	115.9	69.2
April	3	115.6	69.7
	10	115.7	69.7
	17	115.7	69.7
	24	115.7	69.1
May	1	115.7	69.2
	8	115.9	68.9
	15	116.1	68.6
	22	115.8	69.0
	29	115.9	68.8
June	5	116.1	68.5
	12	116.7	67.4

lased upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total/
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1931 - High	132.1	152.9	24.9	112.4	191.6	66.3	129.3	76.6	173.5	117.7	112.0	112.4	135.3	116.7
Low	72.3	76.4	10.9	50.6	102.6	45.9	96.5	41.7	85.2	57.7	34.7	89.3	80.5	61.2
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	133.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
Weekly Index Numbers														
June 13th, 1935	147.3	117.4	10.3	61.6	223.4	69.0	126.9	103.4	200.8	45.1	26.3	98.6	55.6	97.9
1936														
May 7th	188.0	125.9	16.9	86.4	236.1	67.4	146.4	123.5	311.0	51.4	30.3	109.4	63.9	116.8
May 14th	190.0	125.1	17.1	86.9	239.0	67.9	147.6	132.9	312.3	51.9	31.1	110.1	64.3	118.0
May 21st	191.3	124.3	17.4	90.1	239.4	69.0	145.2	133.7	317.4	53.0	31.1	110.3	66.5	119.2
May 28th	189.3	123.8	16.9	83.6	234.8	68.9	145.8	128.2	318.8	52.3	31.1	108.8	65.4	117.9
June 4th	187.6	124.0	17.1	86.3	229.9	69.4	149.1	126.1	319.2	53.0	31.6	111.1	65.9	117.4
June 11th	187.8	124.9	17.3	86.1	230.0	67.4	149.8	125.6	320.2	53.2	31.6	113.2	66.1	117.6

x Weekly figures. / Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Common stocks showed a minor rally for the second successive week and were considerably more active than for the corresponding week last year. The index for 112 common stocks for the week of June 18 was 118.1 as compared with 117.6 for the preceding week and 97.2 for June 20, 1935. The Industrial index mounted from 187.8 for June 11 to 189.3 for June 18, offsetting the recession of the week of June 4. This index was on the same level as in the final week of May and the comparative index for last year was 145.9. Six of the eight sub-groups were higher due chiefly to strength in International Nickel, Moore, Simpsons "B", Distillers Corp.-Seagrams, Lake of the Woods, Dominion Bridge and Steel of Canada, while Oils and Textiles were slightly lower. Twenty-three Utilities lost .5 for the week of June 18, overbalancing the gains of the first two weeks of June. The Utilities index moved downward from 53.2 for the week ending June 11 to 52.7 for the week of June 18. For the comparable week in 1935 this index was 45.3.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 June 18	1936 June 11	1935 June 20	1936 June 18	1936 June 11	1935 June 20
	$	$	$			
Bathurst Power & Paper	13.9	14.0	5.4	1,967	2,280	845
Bell Telephone	149.0	148.7	128.0	608	721	724
Brazilian	12.5	12.3	9.0	8,584	14,873	4,207
British American Oil	23.9	23.2	16.4	10,516	5,800	5,405
British Columbia Power "A"	29.6	29.7	24.9	1,206	1,069	935
Canadian Car & Foundry	7.1	6.1	7.1	8,623	1,090	1,210
Canadian Celanese	28.6	27.4	23.8	3,195	940	330
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	7.7	7.7	8.7	5,505	12,060	8,618
Canadian Pacific Railway	12.4	12.6	10.8	5,156	4,735	8,894
Consolidated Smelters	55.7	55.8	163.5	4,666	4,892	2,913
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	22.5	21.6	17.5	5,755	4,675	5,245
Dominion Bridge	38.3	37.2	30.1	1,770	518	1,397
Ford "A"	21.6	22.2	24.6	4,277	12,801	4,279
Hollinger	15.7	16.2	14.6	3,212	4,455	1,050
Imperial Tobacco	14.0	14.0	13.1	2,898	5,055	5,039
International Nickel	48.5	47.0	27.9	42,347	16,395	13,880
Loblaw	19.7	19.6	18.5	3,577	2,637	1,775
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	30.7	31.7	29.0	7,501	8,320	4,210
National Breweries	44.8	44.3	35.6	3,039	1,829	851
Noranda	58.6	58.6	-	3,669	7,928	-
Power Corporation	14.2	15.4	7.3	1,837	1,313	20
Shawinigan	19.3	19.6	16.0	2,546	3,777	1,983
Steel of Canada	63.4	62.2	49.1	2,790	1,041	1,784
Union Gas	10.9	10.1	4.6	3,131	3,877	1,055
Walkers	28.6	28.3	24.9	2,623	2,759	3,218
TOTAL SALES				140,998	125,840	79,867

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926 = 100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices advanced from 116.7 for the week ending June 12 to 117.4 for the week ending June 19. Reports from Montreal indicated a keen demand with rising prices for the greater part of the week, but attention tended to shift more to the middle-term issues during the last two days. Offerings were on the light side, however, and prices were well maintained.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 67.4 to 66.2. This represents the lowest level of long-term yields in the domestic market in the past thirty years. The average yield of the six leading issues used in this index was 3.13 as compared with 3.19 for the previous week and 3.24 for the week ending June 5.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	-
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	-
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
March	6	115.5	70.0
	13	115.4	70.2
	20	115.2	70.4
	27	115.9	69.2
April	3	115.6	69.7
	10	115.7	69.7
	17	115.7	69.7
	24	115.7	69.1
May	1	115.7	69.2
	8	115.9	68.9
	15	116.1	68.6
	22	115.8	69.0
	29	115.9	68.8
June	5	116.1	68.5
	12	116.7	67.4
	19	117.4	66.2

[x] Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ≠
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	[illegible]	33.3	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	133.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	10[illegible].6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
Weekly Index Numbers														
June 20th, 1935	145.9	118.1	10.7	59.1	221.4	67.5	126.5	105.4	197.3	45.3	27.1	97.9	55.4	97.2
1936														
May 21st	191.3	124.3	17.4	90.1	239.4	69.0	145.2	133.7	317.4	53.0	31.1	110.3	66.5	119.2
May 28th	189.3	123.8	16.9	83.6	234.8	68.9	145.8	128.2	318.8	52.3	31.1	108.8	65.4	117.9
June 4th	187.6	124.0	17.1	86.3	229.9	69.4	149.1	126.1	319.2	53.0	31.6	111.1	65.9	117.4
June 11th	187.8	124.9	17.3	86.1	230.0	67.4	149.8	125.6	320.2	53.2	31.6	113.2	66.1	117.6
June 18th	189.3	125.4	17.5	86.3	229.0	66.4	149.9	128.7	327.9	52.7	31.1	113.4	65.4	118.1

x Weekly figures. ≠ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Irregularly higher prices prevailed on Canadian stock markets during the week d the general index for 112 common stocks mounted from 118.1 for the week of June 18 119.7 for June 25. This is the highest level the index has attained since the week April 23. The comparative index for 1935 was 95.5. In the Industrial section five the eight sub-groups were higher, the exceptions being Iron and Steel, Food and Allied oducts and Beverages. Accordingly, this index advanced from 189.3 for June 18 to 2.1 for June 25. For the week ending June 27, 1935, the Industrial index was 142.6. ong Industrial stocks to attract attention were Western Grocers, Ogilvie, International ckel, Page-Hersey, British American Oil and Canadian Dredge and Dry Dock. Twenty-ree Utilities made a fractional gain counterbalancing the loss of the previous week. e index was 53.2 for the week ending June 25 as compared with 52.7 for the preceding ek and 44.6 for the corresponding week last year. Two of the sub-groups were higher ile Telephone and Telegraph suffered the first set-back since the week of May 28.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x.

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 June 25	1936 June 18	1935 June 27	1936 June 25	1936 June 18	1935 June 27
	$	$	$			
thurst Power & Paper	14.2	13.9	5.6	6,437	1,967	210
ll Telephone	148.1	149.0	127.0	586	608	683
azilian	13.0	12.5	8.9	16,232	8,584	3,420
itish American Oil	25.4	23.9	15.6	19,419	10,516	9,344
itish Columbia Power "A"	29.9	29.6	24.1	1,085	1,206	1,192
nadian Car & Foundry	7.3	7.1	7.5	3,130	8,623	1,915
nadian Celanese	29.0	28.6	24.0	1,238	3,195	1,255
nadian Dredge & Dry Dock	48.6	47.1	23.5	1,102	455	330
nadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	7.2	7.7	8.5	4,820	5,505	2,280
nadian Pacific Railway	12.6	12.4	10.4	8,348	5,156	2,817
nsolidated Smelters	55.2	55.7	164.3	2,970	4,666	1,100
nsumers Gas	202.8	202.2	188.6	156	74	58
stillers Corp.-Seagrams	22.5	22.5	17.9	1,035	5,755	1,640
ctrolux Corporation	23.1	23.0	-	1,155	235	-
d "A"	20.4	21.6	26.7	3,136	4,277	7,208
lingor	15.9	15.7	15.1	2,315	3,212	2,620
perial Tobacco	14.0	14.0	13.2	4,322	2,898	6,815
ternational Nickel	50.3	48.5	27.8	54,712	42,347	16,521
law	19.8	19.7	18.5	2,683	3,577	2,150
ntreal Light, Heat & Power	30.9	30.7	29.0	4,030	7,501	5,646
ore	37.9	37.2	23.0	647	519	925
tional Breweries	45.0	44.8	34.8	1,785	3,039	2,335
anda	58.5	58.6	-	3,395	3,669	-
el of Canada	64.3	63.4	48.9	1,030	2,790	1,020
kers	28.8	28.6	24.1	1,199	2,623	2,395
Total Sales				146,967	132,997	73,879

As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices remained unchanged at 117.4 for the week ending June 26. This level is the highest reached during the period covered by the index which extends back to 1919. Trading during the week was quiet with comparatively few changes in price.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields likewise remained the same at 66.2. The average yield of the six issues used in computing this index continued at 3.24.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	-
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	-
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	-
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
March	6	115.5	70.0
	13	115.4	70.2
	20	115.2	70.4
	27	115.9	69.2
April	3	115.6	69.7
	10	115.7	69.7
	17	115.7	69.7
	24	115.7	69.1
May	1	115.7	69.2
	8	115.9	68.9
	15	116.1	68.6
	22	115.8	69.0
	29	115.9	68.8
June	5	116.1	68.5
	12	116.7	67.4
	19	117.4	66.2
	26	117.4	66.2

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ≠
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	[illegible]	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	133.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.3	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
Weekly Index Numbers														
June 27th, 1935	142.6	121.0	10.6	56.6	210.0	65.8	126.9	104.4	196.8	44.6	26.1	97.1	55.0	95.5
1936														
May 21st	191.3	124.3	17.4	90.1	239.4	69.0	145.2	133.7	317.4	53.0	31.1	110.3	66.5	119.2
May 28th	189.3	123.8	16.9	83.6	234.8	68.9	145.8	128.2	318.8	52.3	31.1	108.8	65.4	117.9
June 4th	187.6	124.0	17.1	86.3	229.9	69.4	149.1	126.1	319.2	53.0	31.6	111.1	65.9	117.4
June 11th	187.8	124.9	17.3	86.1	230.0	67.4	149.8	125.6	320.2	53.2	31.6	113.2	66.1	117.6
June 18th	189.3	125.4	17.5	86.3	229.0	66.4	149.9	128.7	327.9	52.7	31.1	113.4	65.4	118.1
June 25th	192.1	124.4	18.2	87.4	231.4	66.7	149.7	128.1	336.8	53.2	31.6	112.7	66.2	119.7

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Common stocks were less active during the past week than in any preceding week in June and prices displayed an easier tone. Consequently, the general index for 112 common stocks declined from 119.7 for the week ending June 25 to 119.2 for the week ending July 2. For the week of July 4, 1935, the index was 94.8. In the Industrial section all sub-groups, Milling excepted, were lower and the index moved downward from 192.1 for June 25 to 190.6 for July 2. This index was influenced chiefly by the downward tendency of prices of practically all stocks included in Oils and Beverages, and also Consolidated Smelters and International Nickel. The comparative index for last year was 141.7. Twenty-three Utilities advanced fractionally for the second consecutive week and reached the highest level since the week of April 16. The index was 53.6 for July 2 as compared with 53.2 for the previous week and 44.5 for the corresponding week in 1935.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x.

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 July 2	1936 June 25	1935 July 4	1936 July 2	1936 June 25	1935 July 4
	$	$	$			
athurst Power & Paper	14.4	14.2	5.7	6,805	6,437	510
ell Telephone	148.3	148.1	127.9	713	586	388
razilian	13.2	13.0	8.8	11,906	16,232	3,852
ritish American Oil	25.8	25.4	15.5	8,114	19,419	2,278
ritish Columbia Power "A"	30.0	29.9	23.6	1,455	1,085	898
anadian Celanese	29.6	29.0	24.3	1,855	1,238	415
anadian Dredge & Dry Dock	49.1	48.6	23.4	349	1,102	180
anadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	7.1	7.2	8.6	6,069	4,820	4,455
anadian Pacific Railway	12.8	12.6	10.0	6,778	8,348	2,998
onsolidated Smelters	54.7	55.2	159.9	3,990	2,970	1,057
istillers Corp.-Seagrams	21.5	22.5	19.3	2,400	1,035	2,925
ominion Bridge	39.0	38.1	29.0	990	485	254
anny Farmer	13.9	13.6	9.0	1,275	1,520	2,220
ord "A"	20.3	20.4	27.3	2,594	3,136	2,385
mperial Tobacco	13.9	14.0	13.5	2,307	4,322	7,260
nternational Nickel	50.0	50.3	27.1	15,308	54,712	7,732
oblaw	19.8	19.8	18.6	2,693	2,683	1,759
cColl-Frontenac Oil	15.0	15.1	12.8	1,740	1,153	1,215
ontreal Light, Heat & Power	31.0	30.9	29.8	4,822	4,030	5,429
ational Breweries	44.7	45.0	35.1	1,858	1,785	1,171
oranda	58.2	58.5	-	2,536	3,395	-
hawinigan	19.0	19.3	16.0	1,569	1,019	1,703
teel of Canada	64.3	64.3	49.3	590	1,030	676
nion Gas	11.9	11.7	4.2	3,479	1,751	165
alkers	28.7	28.8	25.4	3,818	1,199	3,506
TOTAL SALES				96,013	145,492	55,431

As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 117.4 for the week ending June 26 to 117.5 for the week ending July 3. A firm tone was in evidence throughout the week but the intervention of the holiday and a scarcity of offerings combined to limit the turnover.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields fell from 66.2 to 66.1. The average yield of the six issues included in this index remained unchanged at 3.13.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	-
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936

Date		Prices	Yields
April	3	115.6	69.7
	10	115.7	69.7
	17	115.7	69.7
	24	115.7	69.1
May	1	115.7	69.2
	8	115.9	68.9
	15	116.1	68.6
	22	115.8	69.0
	29	115.9	68.8
June	5	116.1	68.5
	12	116.7	67.4
	19	117.4	66.2
	26	117.4	66.2
July	3	117.5	66.1

[x] Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ≠
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
Weekly Index Numbers														
July 4, 1935	141.7	121.3	10.8	56.6	209.6	65.7	127.5	108.4	192.2	44.5	25.1	97.7	55.8	94.8
1936														
May 21st	191.3	124.3	17.4	90.1	239.4	69.0	145.2	133.7	317.4	53.0	31.1	110.3	66.5	119.2
May 28th	189.3	123.8	16.9	83.6	234.8	68.9	145.8	128.2	318.8	52.3	31.1	108.8	65.4	117.9
June 4th	187.6	124.0	17.1	86.3	229.9	69.4	149.1	126.1	319.2	53.0	31.6	111.1	65.9	117.4
June 11th	187.8	124.9	17.3	86.1	230.0	67.4	149.8	125.6	320.2	53.2	31.6	113.2	66.1	117.6
June 18th	189.3	125.4	17.5	86.3	229.0	66.4	149.9	128.7	327.9	52.7	31.1	113.4	65.4	118.1
June 25th	192.1	124.4	18.2	87.4	231.4	66.7	149.7	128.1	336.8	53.2	31.6	112.7	66.2	119.7
July 2nd	190.6	124.3	18.0	87.6	229.4	65.6	149.5	126.1	334.9	53.6	32.1	112.9	66.4	119.2

x Weekly figures. ≠ Banks not included

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Although common stocks were more active in the latter part of the week, the neral index declined from 119.2 for the week ending July 2 to 118.5 for the week of ly 9. The comparative index for 1935 was 95.7. Despite the fact that half of the sub-oups in the Industrial section were higher, gains registered were of such small pro-rtions that the index continued downward for the third successive week. The Industrial dex recorded for the week of July 9 was 189.9 as compared with 190.6 for the preceding ek and 143.2 for the week of July 11, 1935. Twenty-three Utilities lost 0.6 placing e index for the week ending July 9 at 53.0, the same level as for the week of June 4, ich compared with higher figures of 53.2 and 53.6 respectively, for the two preceding eks. In the Utilities section, the three sub-groups were lower.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS *.

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 July 9	1936 July 2	1935 July 11	1936 July 9	1936 July 2	1935 July 11
	$	$	$			
hurst Power & Paper	14.0	14.4	5.7	3,420	6,805	585
l Telephone	146.8	148.3	127.7	303	713	561
zilian	13.0	13.2	8.6	7,632	11,906	9,693
tish American Oil	24.7	25.8	15.6	5,245	8,114	2,092
lding Products	37.8	35.3	30.1	2,704	351	130
adian Car & Foundry	6.8	6.6	7.1	5,575	610	1,020
adian Ind. Alcohol "A"	7.0	7.1	8.8	6,700	6,069	6,667
adian Pacific Railway	12.6	12.8	9.9	13,093	6,778	5,637
solidated Smelters	53.9	54.7	160.8	3,000	3,990	1,518
sumers Gas	202.2	202.8	188.9	172	79	131
tillers Corp.-Seagrams	22.1	21.5	20.4	3,910	2,400	5,290
inion Bridge	39.0	39.0	29.1	1,454	990	386
inion Textile	60.7	60.2	67.3	1,275	258	155
d "A"	19.8	20.3	27.3	4,695	2,594	9,366
ndation Co.	15.0	13.5	12.5	6,685	75	5
sum Lime & Alabastine	6.8	6.4	4.6	4,286	268	610
erial Tobacco	14.0	13.9	13.7	3,360	2,307	12,891
ernational Nickel	49.7	50.0	27.0	8,881	15,308	10,568
e of the Woods	21.4	19.9	7.0	3,278	405	110
law "A & B"	20.0	19.8	18.5	1,910	2,693	2,866
treal Light, Heat & Power	30.7	31.0	30.2	4,198	4,822	3,916
ional Breweries	44.9	44.7	35.1	1,581	1,858	1,559
anda	58.4	58.2	--	1,738	2,536	-
winigan	19.0	19.0	16.1	2,156	1,569	1,194
kers	30.5	28.7	27.9	6,153	3,818	14,056
TOTAL SALES				103,404	87,316	91,006

As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 117.5 for the week ending July 3 to 117.7 for the week ending July 10. A firm tone was again apparent and good demand was reported.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields fell from 66.1 to 65.7. The average yield of the six issues included in this index declined from 3.13 to 3.11.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.3	111.1	114.5	-
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.5	112.3	114.8	-
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.5	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	79.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.3	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936

Date		Prices	Yields
April	3	115.6	69.7
	10	115.7	69.7
	17	115.7	69.7
	24	115.7	69.1
May	1	115.7	69.2
	8	115.9	68.9
	15	116.1	68.6
	22	115.8	69.0
	29	115.9	68.8
June	5	116.1	68.5
	12	116.7	67.4
	19	117.4	66.2
	26	117.4	66.2
July	3	117.5	66.1
	10	117.7	65.7

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ≠
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	10.6	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
Weekly Index Numbers														
July 11, 1935	143.2	121.3	10.6	57.5	213.6	66.8	127.3	112.8	192.0	44.4	24.8	97.7	55.9	95.7
1936														
June 4th	187.6	124.0	17.1	86.3	229.9	69.4	149.1	126.1	319.2	53.0	31.6	111.1	65.9	117.4
June 11th	187.8	124.9	17.3	86.1	230.0	67.4	149.8	125.6	320.2	53.2	31.6	113.2	66.1	117.6
June 18th	189.3	125.4	17.5	86.3	229.0	66.4	149.9	128.7	327.9	52.7	31.1	113.4	65.4	118.1
June 25th	192.1	124.4	18.2	87.4	231.4	66.7	149.7	128.1	336.8	53.2	31.6	112.7	66.2	119.7
July 2nd	190.6	124.3	18.0	87.6	229.4	65.6	149.5	126.1	334.9	53.6	32.1	112.9	66.4	119.2
July 9th	189.9	123.3	18.5	86.7	228.3	65.6	150.3	127.8	332.7	53.0	31.6	111.8	66.0	118.5

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES

(1926 = 100)

Common stock prices reversed the receding trend of the past two eeks by showing a minor rally and the general index for 112 stocks rose rom 118.5 for the week ending July 9 to 119.4 for the week ending July 6. The comparative index for 1935 was 95.4. In the Industrial section, 11 sub-groups, with the exception of Milling and Oils, were higher and he index mounted from 189.9 for July 9 to 191.0 for July 16. For the eek ending July 18, 1935 the index was 143.6. Notable advances in price ccurred for Dominion Textile, Canada Packers, Walkers, National Steel ar, Lake of the Woods and Building Products, while Ogilvie was an xception to the general movement closing the week considerably lower. he index for 23 Utilities advanced from 53.0 for July 9 to 53.6 for the eek of July 16, offsetting the decline of the previous week. Prices of ractically all stocks in this group were higher and consequently the hree sub-groups moved upward. For the corresponding week last year the tilities index was 44.5.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 July 16 $	1936 July 9 $	1935 July 18 $	1936 July 16	1936 July 9	1935 July 18
ell Telephone	147.1	146.8	128.8	365	303	538
razilian	12.8	13.0	8.5	7,652	7,632	2,867
ritish American Oil	24.8	24.7	15.5	4,653	5,245	2,310
uilding Products	39.7	37.8	30.3	1,727	2,704	185
an. Car & Foundry	7.4	6.8	6.9	6,795	5,575	495
an. Ind. Alcohol "A"	7.3	7.0	9.6	6,260	6,700	18,061
an. Pacific Railway	13.0	12.6	10.0	9,625	13,093	3,649
onsolidated Smelters	54.0	53.9	162.1	2,728	3,000	673
stillers Corp.- Seagrams	22.5	22.1	21.3	7,425	3,910	5,610
ominion Bridge	39.3	39.0	29.1	1,589	1,454	470
ord "A"	19.6	19.8	26.8	3,540	4,695	3,474
oundation Co.	16.4	15.0	11.1	3,485	6,685	110
ypsum Lime & Alabastine	7.5	6.8	4.9	7,010	4,286	385
nternational Nickel	50.2	49.7	27.5	18,492	8,881	10,359
ake of the Woods	23.3	21.4	7.2	1,545	3,278	261
oblaw	19.9	20.0	18.8	2,501	1,910	1,676
ontreal Light, Heat & Power	30.9	30.7	30.4	3,104	4,198	3,929
tional Breweries	44.8	44.9	35.9	1,012	1,581	2,227
tional Steel Car	16.4	14.4	14.2	2,020	1,780	50
randa	59.1	58.4	-	5,029	1,738	-
awinigan	19.2	19.0	15.8	2,200	2,156	1,659
eel of Canada	65.4	63.6	49.7	1,249	287	2,160
. Lawrence Corp.	2.9	2.5	.7	14,936	8,870	75
ion Gas	13.1	12.2	4.3	5,122	1,786	189
lkers	33.0	30.5	30.2	12,224	6,153	24,146
TOTAL SALES				132,288	107,900	85,558

[x] As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 117.7 for the week ending July 10 to 118.0 for the week ending July 17. A good demand was reported by Montreal and bids were firm with relatively light offerings.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields fell from 65.7 to 65.1 during the week. The average yield of the six leading issues used in this index was 3.08 as compared with 3.11 for the preceding week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928 - 1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	-
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG TERM-BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Limited)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
April	3	115.6	69.7
	10	115.7	69.7
	17	115.7	69.7
	24	115.7	69.1
May	1	115.7	69.2
	8	115.9	68.9
	15	116.1	68.6
	22	115.8	69.0
	29	115.9	68.8
June	5	116.1	68.5
	12	116.7	67.4
	19	117.4	66.2
	26	117.4	66.2
July	3	117.5	66.1
	10	117.7	65.7
	17	118.0	65.1

[x] Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES			
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total /
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	10.6	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
Weekly Index Numbers														
July 18, 1935	143.6	121.1	10.3	57.1	210.5	66.7	128.5	118.3	195.0	44.5	25.1	98.5	55.7	95.4
1936														
June 4th	187.6	124.0	17.1	86.3	229.9	69.4	149.1	126.1	319.2	53.0	31.6	111.1	65.9	117.4
June 11th	187.8	124.9	17.3	86.1	230.0	67.4	149.8	125.6	320.2	53.2	31.6	113.2	66.1	117.6
June 18th	189.3	125.4	17.5	86.3	229.0	66.4	149.9	128.7	327.9	52.7	31.1	113.4	65.4	118.1
June 25th	192.1	124.4	18.2	87.4	231.4	66.7	149.7	128.1	336.8	53.2	31.6	112.7	66.2	119.7
July 2nd	190.6	124.3	18.0	87.6	229.4	65.6	+ 149.7	126.1	334.9	53.6	32.1	112.9	66.4	119.2
July 9th	189.9	123.3	18.5	86.7	228.3	65.6	150.3	127.8	332.7	53.0	31.6	111.8	66.0	118.5
July 16th	191.0	124.5	19.2	85.6	228.1	68.7	152.2	130.4	335.7	53.6	32.6	112.0	66.3	119.4

x Weekly figures. / Banks not included. + Corrected figure

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Common stocks were quite active on Canadian stock markets during the week and prices moved higher offsetting recessions of the past three months. The general index for 112 stocks rose from 119.4 for the week of July 16 to 120.4 for the week of July 23, which was the same as the index recorded for the week of April 23. The comparative index for 1935 was 95.6. Eighty-nine Industrials, influenced chiefly by Milling, Food and Allied Products and Miscellaneous, mounted from 191.0 for July 16 to 192.8 for July 23 and for the week ending July 25, 1935, this index was 143.8. In this section, all sub-groups, Pulp and Paper and Beverages excepted, showed gains and among stocks to attract attention were Lake of the Woods, Ogilvie, Canadian Converters, Wabasso Cotton, Canada Packers, Weston Ltd., and Consolidated Smelters. The index for twenty-three Utilities was fractionally higher for the second successive week and two sub-groups advanced while Telephone and Telegraph lost 0.3 due to the drop in price of Bell Telephone. The Utilities index was 54.0 for the week ending July 23 as compared with 53.6 for the preceding week and 44.9 for the corresponding week last year.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 July 23	1936 July 16	1935 July 25	1936 July 23	1936 July 16	1935 July 25
	$	$	$			
Bell Telephone	146.7	147.1	130.4	853	365	561
Brazilian	12.7	12.8	8.4	7,943	7,652	5,511
British American Oil	25.1	24.8	15.4	5,077	4,653	1,767
Canadian Car & Foundry	8.1	7.4	7.0	17,755	6,795	384
Canadian Dredge & Dry Dock	47.9	48.6	25.3	850	380	663
Canadian Pacific Railway	13.3	13.0	10.0	14,518	9,625	12,432
Consolidated Smelters	56.0	54.0	168.7	9,262	2,728	3,390
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	22.4	22.5	21.2	4,245	7,425	1,685
Dominion Bridge	39.8	39.3	29.8	2,568	1,589	1,104
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	5.2	4.6	4.8	7,185	3,746	2,030
Fanny Farmer	15.6	14.9	9.1	3,095	1,300	3,815
Ford "A"	20.0	19.6	26.5	2,786	3,540	2,594
Imperial Tobacco	14.0	14.0	13.9	4,816	2,290	4,612
International Nickel	51.1	50.2	27.6	23,002	18,492	17,484
Lake of the Woods	24.6	23.3	8.2	2,996	1,545	330
Loblaw	20.5	19.9	18.8	4,078	2,501	2,656
McColl-Frontenac Oil	14.6	14.8	12.9	2,932	1,871	1,165
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	30.8	30.9	31.0	4,892	3,104	4,424
National Breweries	44.9	44.8	36.9	1,524	1,012	1,851
Noranda	61.8	59.1	-	5,295	5,029	-
Shawinigan	19.6	19.2	16.2	2,815	2,200	2,518
Steel of Canada	66.2	65.4	50.1	1,385	1,249	1,973
Union Gas	14.3	13.1	4.3	9,246	5,122	615
Walkers	33.3	33.0	27.6	2,820	12,224	22,559
Weston Ltd.	15.8	14.3	32.5	11,419	1,735	968
Total Sales				153,357	108,172	97,091

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, remained at 118.0 for the week ending July 24. Trading was dull at Montreal although a good underlying demand was reported and quotations remained firm.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 65.1 to 65.0 during the week. The average yield of the six leading issues used in this index was 3.07 as compared with 3.08 for the preceding week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	-
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	-
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
April	3	115.6	69.7
	10	115.7	69.7
	17	115.7	69.7
	24	115.7	69.1
May	1	115.7	69.2
	8	115.9	68.9
	15	116.1	68.6
	22	115.8	69.0
	29	115.9	68.8
June	5	116.1	68.5
	12	116.7	67.4
	19	117.4	66.2
	26	117.4	66.2
July	3	117.5	66.1
	10	117.7	65.7
	17	118.0	65.1
	24	118.0.	65.0

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ≠
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	10.6	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
Weekly Index Numbers														
July 25, 1935	143.8	120.9	10.7	57.7	209.5	68.1	130.0	116.1	196.7	44.9	25.1	99.7	56.5	95.6
1936														
June 18th	189.3	125.4	17.5	86.3	229.0	66.4	149.9	128.7	327.9	52.7	31.1	113.4	65.4	118.1
June 25th	192.1	124.4	18.2	87.4	231.4	66.7	149.7	128.1	336.8	53.2	31.6	112.7	66.2	119.7
July 2nd	190.6	124.3	18.0	87.6	229.4	65.6	149.7	126.1	334.9	53.6	32.1	112.9	66.4	119.2
July 9th	189.9	123.3	18.5	86.7	228.3	65.6	150.3	127.8	332.7	53.0	31.6	111.8	66.0	118.5
July 16th	191.0	124.5	19.2	85.6	228.1	68.7	152.2	130.4	335.7	53.6	32.6	112.0	66.3	119.4
July 23rd	192.8	126.7	18.6	88.6	228.5	69.6	155.2	130.2	341.9	54.0	33.4	111.7	66.4	120.4

x Weekly figures.

≠ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Common stocks showed considerable activity during the past week but prices oved irregularly lower. Accordingly the general index for 112 stocks declined from 20.4 for the week ending July 23 to 119.9 for the week ending July 30. The comparative ndex for last year was 95.4. In the Industrial section, losses in Oils, Beverages and oods more than outweighed gains in the other five sub-groups and the Industrial index ropped from 192.8 for July 23 to 192.3 for July 30. For the week ending August 1, 1935, his index was 143.7. Although two of the three sub-groups included in Utilities showed ractional gains, the index receded from 54.0 for the week of July 23 to 53.5 for the eek of July 30, due chiefly to the drop in price of C.P.R. For the corresponding week ast year the Utilities index was 45.3.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 July 30 $	1936 July 23 $	1935 Aug. 1 $	1936 July 30	1936 July 23	1935 Aug. 1
ll Telephone	147.2	146.7	129.6	504	853	554
azilian	12.4	12.7	8.2	13,537	7,943	4,754
itish American Oil	25.0	25.1	16.0	4,642	5,077	3,818
nadian Car & Foundry	8.5	8.1	7.1	14,337	17,755	2,755
nadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	6.8	6.9	9.0	8,570	5,263	2,235
nada Northern Power	25.2	24.3	20.7	2,305	1,150	2,583
nadian Pacific Railway	12.7	13.3	10.1	8,740	14,518	3,597
nsolidated Smelters	57.0	56.0	168.9+	5,843	9,262	823
stillers Corp.-Seagrams	22.2	22.4	21.0	10,965	4,245	3,855
minion Bridge	40.6	39.8	29.3	2,096	2,568	806
minion Steel & Coal "B"	5.8	5.2	4.7	11,875	7,185	1,025
rd "A"	19.5	20.0	27.8	3,942	2,786	6,243
ternational Nickel	51.0	51.1	28.1	17,351	23,002	15,776
ke of the Woods	24.8	24.6	8.2	1,669	2,996	110
blaw	20.0	20.5	18.4	2,779	4,078	2,897
ntreal Light, Heat & Power	30.9	30.8	31.0	6,443	4,892	3,610
tional Breweries	44.7	44.9	36.4	1,551	1,524	722
randa	62.6	61.8	-	4,506	5,295	-
wer Corporation	14.7	13.7	7.5	4,982	2,105	130
essed Metals	28.1	25.7	[illegible]	1,349	136	354
awinigan	19.7	19.6	16.5	3,270	2,815	1,362
eel of Canada	66.4	66.2	49.6	923	1,385	2,011
ited Steel	3.4	3.1	2.4	22,920	4,495	630
lkers	33.0	33.3	27.3	2,838	2,820	8,440
ston Limited	16.7	15.8	31.5	8,062	11,419	692
Total Sales				165,999	145,567	69,782

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.
+ Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928 - 1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-rm bond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 118.0 for the week ending July 24 118.4 for the week ending July 31. Montreal reported a good demand for long-terms t turnover remained light as offerings failed to appear in any quantity.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 65.0 64.4 during the week. The average yield of the six leading issues used in this index s 3.04 as compared with 3.07 for the week before.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
uary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
ruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
ch	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
il	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
e	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
y	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
ust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
tember	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
ober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
ember	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
ember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
uary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
ruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
ch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
il	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
e	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
y	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
ust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
tember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
ober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
ember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
ember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
April	3	115.6	69.7
	10	115.7	69.7
	17	115.7	69.7
	24	115.7	69.1
May	1	115.7	69.2
	8	115.9	68.9
	15	116.1	68.6
	22	115.8	69.0
	29	115.9	68.8
June	5	116.1	68.5
	12	116.7	67.4
	19	117.4	66.2
	26	117.4	66.2
July	3	117.5	66.1
	10	117.7	65.7
	17	118.0	65.1
	24	118.0	65.0
	31	118.4	64.4

ased upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES			
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ✓
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	10.6	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
Weekly Index Numbers														
August 1, 1935	143.7	123.0	10.9	58.3	206.2	67.4	128.6	117.1	198.9	45.3	25.3	99.1	57.1	95.4
1936														
June 18th	189.3	125.4	17.5	86.3	229.0	66.4	149.9	128.7	327.9	52.7	31.1	113.4	65.4	118.1
June 25th	192.1	124.4	18.2	87.4	231.4	66.7	149.7	128.1	336.8	53.2	31.6	112.7	66.2	119.7
July 2nd	190.6	124.3	18.0	87.6	229.4	65.6	149.7	126.1	334.9	53.6	32.1	112.9	66.4	119.2
July 9th	189.9	123.3	18.5	86.7	228.3	65.6	150.3	127.8	332.7	53.0	31.6	111.8	66.0	118.5
July 16th	191.0	124.5	19.2	85.6	228.1	68.7	152.2	130.4	335.7	53.6	32.6	112.0	66.3	119.4
July 23rd	192.8	126.7	18.6	88.6	228.5	69.6	155.2	130.2	341.9	54.0	33.4	111.7	66.4	120.4
July 30th	192.3	127.1	18.7	89.5	226.8	70.1	155.0	129.4	342.8	53.5	31.8	112.1	66.6	119.9

x Weekly figures. ✓ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Lower prices particularly in the latter part of the week accompanied by paratively light trading caused a moderate recession in the general index from 119.9 the week of July 30 to 118.5 for the week of August 6. For the corresponding week 1935 this index was 95.9. Industrial stocks with the exception of Foods and Iron Steel were disposed to go lower and the index declined from 192.3 for the week ending y 30 to 189.3 for the week ending August 6. The comparative index for last year was .0. In this section, five of the eight sub-groups were lower and appreciable weakness apparent in International Petroleum, British American Oil, Ogilvie, Canadian Celanese Dominion Textile. Although two sub-groups in Utilities showed gains, this index eded from 53.5 for July 30 to 53.4 for August 6, due to the drop in price of C.P.R. the Transportation sub-group. For the week ending August 8, 1935, the Utilities index 45.7.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Aug.6 $	1936 July 30 $	1935 Aug.8 $	1936 Aug.6	1936 July 30	1935 Aug.8
l Telephone	148.9	147.2	130.1	481	504	685
ilian	12.0	12.4	8.0	8,563	13,537	10,457
ish American Oil	24.6	25.0	16.1	2,800	4,642	1,755
ding Products	42.5	40.9	30.4	711	405	245
dian Car & Foundry	8.3	8.5	7.2	5,390	14,337	1,175
da Northern Power	27.0	25.2	21.6	1,395	2,305	710
dian Pacific Railway	12.1	12.7	10.0	5,833	8,740	4,228
olidated Smelters	57.1	57.0	168.4 +	2,041	5,843	1,259
illers Corp.-Seagrams	22.6	22.2	22.3	5,960	10,965	4,825
nion Bridge	41.1	40.6	28.7	798	2,096	1,280
y Farmer	16.1	15.5	9.5	4,618	1,989	2,475
l "A"	19.8	19.5	27.8	7,265	3,942	1,826
linger	15.0	15.2	13.5	3,865	1,190	632
rial Tobacco	13.9	13.9	13.9	2,345	2,672	2,189
rnational Nickel	50.9	51.0	28.1	15,382	17,351	9,409
aw	19.8	20.0	18.5	2,920	2,779	1,217
ll-Frontenac Oil	14.6	14.7	12.9	4,549	2,044	1,138
real Light, Heat & Power	31.7	30.9	31.2	6,671	6,443	4,631
onal Breweries	44.0	44.7	36.0	1,516	1,551	1,722
nda	63.5	62.6	-	3,384	4,506	-
r Corporation	16.1	14.7	8.0	3,260	4,982	1,092
inigan	20.4	19.7	17.0	2,055	3,270	3,446
l of Canada	66.7	66.4	49.8	1,055	923	926
ers	33.0	33.0	27.1	1,697	2,838	6,110
on Ltd.	17.1	16.7	31.3	4,590	8,062	540
otal Sales				99,144	127,916	63,972

s shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

plit 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term nd prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 118.4 for the week ending July 31 to 118.8 r the week ending August 7. This was a short week because of the holiday but a par- cularly good demand existed for long-term bonds and prices rose steadily.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields fell from 64.4 to 63.7 ring the week. The average weekly yield of the six issues used in this index declined om 3.04 to 3.02, to mark a new low.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928 - 1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
bruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
rch	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
ril	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
y	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
ne	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
ly	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
gust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
ptember	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
tober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
vember	102.8	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
cember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928 - 1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
bruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
rch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
ril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
y	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
ne	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
ly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
gust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
ptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
tober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
vember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
cember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
May	1	115.7	69.2
	8	115.9	68.9
	15	116.1	68.6
	22	115.8	69.0
	29	115.9	68.8
June	5	116.1	68.5
	12	116.7	67.4
	19	117.4	66.2
	26	117.4	66.2
July	3	117.5	66.1
	10	117.7	65.7
	17	118.0	65.1
	24	118.0	65.0
	31	118.4	64.4
August	7	118.8	63.7

Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ≠
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
Weekly Index Numbers														
August 8, 1935	144.0	123.0	11.4	58.4	206.3	67.0	129.8	119.4	198.9	45.7	25.1	99.5	58.4	95.9
1936														
July 9th	189.9	123.3	18.5	86.7	228.3	65.6	150.3	127.8	332.7	53.0	31.6	111.8	66.0	118.5
July 16th	191.0	124.5	19.2	85.6	228.1	68.7	152.2	130.4	335.7	53.6	32.6	112.0	66.3	119.4
July 23rd	192.8	126.7	18.6	88.6	228.5	69.6	155.2	130.2	341.9	54.0	33.4	111.7	66.4	120.4
July 30th	192.3	127.1	18.7	89.5	226.8	70.1	155.0	129.4	342.8	53.5	31.8	112.1	66.6	119.9
August 6th	189.3	127.5	18.9	87.5	219.3	68.8	156.8	128.9	342.5	53.4	30.3	113.4	67.6	118.5

x Weekly figures. ≠ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Irregularly higher prices prevailed on Canadian stock markets during the week, d the general index for 112 common stocks, influenced by some of the more important dustrials advanced 1.9 points. This index was 120.4 for the week ending August 13 compared with 118.5 for the preceding week and 98.6 for the corresponding week last ar. The Industrial index showed a substantial gain, mounting from 189.3 for August 6 193.5 for August 13. This is the maximum reached since April 23. In this section, x of the eight sub-groups were higher due chiefly to strength in Canadian General ectric, International Nickel, Distillers Corporation -Seagrams, British American Oil, minion Bridge and Ford "A", while Dominion Textile, International Petroleum, Ogilvie d Consolidated Bakeries moved lower. The comparative index for last year was 146.3. enty-three Utilities continued to decline gradually for the third consecutive week, e index being 53.1 for the week of August 13 as compared with 53.4 for the previous ek. For the week ending August 15, 1935, this index was 48.3.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Aug.13	1936 Aug.6	1935 Aug.15	1936 Aug.13	1936 Aug.6	1935 Aug.15
	$	$	$			
ll Telephone	148.2	148.9	130.5	1,064	481	1,303
azilian	11.9	12.0	8.2	9,442	8,563	26,260
itish American Oil	23.5	24.6	16.2	15,700	2,800	6,847
ilding Products	42.4	42.5	30.6	993	711	170
nadian Car & Foundry	8.4	8.3	7.4	10,020	5,390	1,195
nadian Pacific Railway	12.3	12.1	10.8	7,535	5,833	26,521
nsolidated Smelters	56.2	57.1	168.3	4,189	2,041	1,272
stillers Corp.-Seagrams	24.0	22.6	24.6	20,270	5,960	7,810
minion Bridge	42.2	41.1	29.6	1,963	798	1,940
my Farmer	16.2	16.1	9.4	2,250	4,618	6,270
rd "A"	20.7	19.8	28.1	5,038	7,265	4,767
.linger	14.9	15.0	13.8	3,075	3,865	400
perial Tobacco	14.0	13.9	13.9	4,265	2,345	6,343
ternational Nickel	52.9	50.9	28.7	68,059	15,382	28,343
oll-Frontenac Oil	14.5	14.6	12.9	3,445	4,549	2,349
ntreal Light, Heat & Power	31.2	31.7	33.6	5,892	6,671	16,639
tional Breweries	43.8	44.0	36.8	1,935	1,516	3,762
anda	63.2	63.5	-	3,605	3,384	-
.lvie	214.1	215.4	159.0	165	61	20
ver Corporation	15.0	16.1	9.3	2,719	3,260	1,920
winigan	20.4	20.4	18.7	3,541	2,055	8,867
el of Canada	66.7	66.7	50.0	557	1,055	1,333
on Gas	12.1	14.0	5.4	11,300	1,635	4,996
kers	32.4	33.0	28.9	2,355	1,697	8,437
ton Ltd.	17.0	17.1	31.3	3,092	4,590	470
TOTAL SALES				192,469	96,525	168,234

As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.
Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-
erm bond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 118.8 for the week ending August
to 119.2 for the week ending August 14. Good demand was reported and prices generally
ore firmer until Friday the 14th when the first reaction, since July the 20th, was re-
orded.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 63.7 to
3.0 during the week. The average weekly yield of the six issues used in this index
ell from 3.00 to 2.98, to register a new low, since the inception of the index in 1919.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
anuary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
ebruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
arch	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
pril	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
y	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
ne	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
ly	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
gust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
ptember	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
tober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
vember	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
cember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928 - 1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

nuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
bruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
rch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
ril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
y	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
ne	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
ly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
gust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
ptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
tober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
vember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
cember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
May	1	115.7	69.2
	8	115.9	68.9
	15	116.1	68.6
	22	115.8	69.0
	29	115.9	68.8
June	5	116.1	68.5
	12	116.7	67.4
	19	117.4	66.2
	26	117.4	66.2
July	3	117.5	66.1
	10	117.7	65.7
	17	118.0	65.1
	24	118.0	65.0
	31	118.4	64.4
August	7	118.8	63.7
	14	119.2	63.0

Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ≠
	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
Weekly Index Numbers														
August 15th, 1935	146.3	124.7	12.5	58.4	208.3	65.9	130.8	125.4	202.4	48.3	27.1	99.8	62.1	98.6
1936														
July 9th	189.9	123.3	18.5	86.7	228.3	65.6	150.3	127.8	332.7	53.0	31.6	111.8	66.0	118.5
July 16th	191.0	124.5	19.2	85.6	228.1	68.7	152.2	130.4	335.7	53.6	32.6	112.0	66.3	119.4
July 23rd	192.8	126.7	18.6	88.6	228.5	69.6	155.2	130.2	341.9	54.0	33.4	111.7	66.4	120.4
July 30th	192.3	127.1	18.7	89.5	226.8	70.1	155.0	129.4	342.8	53.5	31.8	112.1	66.6	119.9
August 6th	189.3	127.5	18.9	87.5	219.3	68.8	157.0	128.9	342.5	53.4	30.3	113.4	67.6	118.5
August 13th	193.5	129.3	18.3	87.7	223.9	68.1	158.4	130.7	352.5	53.1	30.8	112.9	66.6	120.4

x Weekly figures ≠ Banks not included. + Revised figure

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Prices of common stocks on Canadian stock markets displayed an easier tone uring the week and the general index suffered a fractional decline offsetting part of he advance of the previous week. The index for 112 common stocks was 119.9 for August 0 as compared with 120.4 for August 13 and 99.5 for the corresponding week in 1935. ighty-nine Industrials dropped from 193.5 for the week ending August 13 to 193.0 for he week ending August 20. In this section, recessions in Oils, Foods and Iron and teel were due mainly to International Petroleum, Western Grocers and Crow's Nest Coal hile Kelvinator, Lake of the Woods and Dryden Paper Co. showed notable gains. Twenty-hree Utilities also registered a decline, the index moving downward from 53.1 for ugust 13 to 52.7 for August 20. This is the minimum reported since the week ending une 18, while the comparative index for last year was 48.2.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Aug.20	1936 Aug.13	1935 Aug.22	1936 Aug.20	1936 Aug.13	1935 Aug.22
	$	$	$			
ell Telephone	148.8	148.2	131.1	918	1,064	382
azilian	11.8	11.9	8.0	7,229	9,442	8,207
ritish American Oil	23.8	23.5	16.1	4,984	15,700	3,997
ritish Columbia Power "A"	30.5	30.1	23.8	1,395	791	934
nadian Industrial Alcohol "A"	7.3	6.9	8.4	15,305	4,550	3,160
nadian Pacific Railway	11.9	12.3	11.0	6,107	7,535	5,299
nsolidated Smelters	55.8	56.2	170.1/	2,675	4,189	2,012
nsumers Gas	202.3	202.6	191.0	253	134	124
istillers Corp.-Seagrams	24.2	24.0	24.7	10,530	20,270	3,200
minion Bridge	42.7	42.2	29.4	1,635	1,963	795
nny Farmer	16.3	16.2	9.3	2,785	2,250	2,485
perial Tobacco	14.0	14.0	13.9	4,735	4,265	2,220
ternational Nickel	52.9	52.9	28.9	16,117	68,059	19,106
lvinator	15.4	11.9	7.1	3,785	1,720	25
ke of the Woods	26.4	24.3	9.0	1,994	255	95
blaw	19.7	20.2	17.7	2,687	1,401	2,240
ntreal Light, Heat & Power	31.1	31.2	33.2	11,100	5,892	8,104
tional Breweries	43.6	43.8	37.1	1,733	1,935	2,691
tional Grocers	7.4	7.3	5.3	6,140	3,761	920
randa	64.1	63.2	-	2,951	3,605	-
ebec Power	19.8	18.9	14.5	2,923	1,117	254
awinigan	20.4	20.4	18.8	2,990	3,541	3,737
eel of Canada	66.7	66.7	49.7	1,222	557	1,190
lkers	35.2	32.4	27.8	12,749	2,355	3,431
ston Ltd.	17.4	17.0	31.0	4,940	3,092	135
TOTAL SALES				129,882	169,443	74,743

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

/ Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, remained unchanged at 119.2 for the week ending August 21. This level is the highest reached during the period covered by the index which extends back to 1919. Trading during the week was quiet with comparatively few changes in price.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 63.0 to 63.1. The average yield of the six issues used in computing this index continued at 2.98.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	74.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
May	1	115.7	69.2
	8	115.9	68.9
	15	116.1	68.6
	22	115.8	69.0
	29	115.9	68.8
June	5	116.1	68.5
	12	116.7	67.4
	19	117.4	66.2
	26	117.4	66.2
July	3	117.5	66.1
	10	117.7	65.7
	17	118.0	65.1
	24	118.0	65.0
	31	118.4	64.4
Aug.	7	118.8	63.7
	14	119.2	63.0
	21	119.2	63.1

Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES			
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total +
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
Weekly Index Number.														
August 22nd, 1935	147.5	123.9	12.3	59.8	212.2	66.2	130.6	123.6	203.7	48.2	27.6	100.2	61.2	99.5
1936														
July 16th	191.0	124.5	19.2	85.6	228.1	68.7	152.2	130.4	335.7	53.6	32.6	112.0	66.3	119.4
July 23rd	192.8	126.7	18.6	88.6	228.5	69.6	155.2	130.2	341.9	54.0	33.4	111.7	66.4	120.4
July 30th	192.3	127.1	18.7	89.5	226.8	70.1	155.0	129.4	342.8	53.5	31.8	112.1	66.6	119.9
August 6th	189.3	127.5	18.9	87.5	219.3	68.8	157.0	128.9	342.5	53.4	30.3	113.4	67.6	118.5
August 13th	193.5	129.3	18.3	87.7	223.9	68.1	158.4	130.7	352.5	53.1	30.8	112.9	66.6	120.4
August 20th	193.0	128.4	18.3	88.9	222.4	68.5	157.4	133.2	352.2	52.7	29.8	113.3	66.5	119.9

x Weekly figures. + Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Prices of common stocks moved slightly lower for the second successive week the general index for 112 issues declined from 119.9 for the week of August 20 19.4 for the week of August 27. The comparative index for last year was 98.1. In the strial section, slight recessions in price were fairly common and five of the eight groups were lower. Consequently, the index fell from 193.0 for the week ending st 20 to 192.3 for the week ending August 27. For the corresponding week in 1935 index was 146.3. Twenty-three Utilities were fractionally lower for the fifth con- tive week and the index was 52.3 for August 27 as compared with 52.7 for the preceding and 47.3 for the week of August 29 last year. Two sub-groups were lower while phone and Telegraph advanced due to Bell Telephone, which averaged 149.8, a new high this year.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Aug. 27	1936 Aug. 20	1935 Aug. 29	1936 Aug. 27	1936 Aug. 20	1935 Aug. 29
	$	$	$			
Telephone	149.8	148.8	132.2	1,356	918	543
ilian	11.5	11.8	7.4	8,215	7,229	10,323
ish American Oil	23.6	23.8	15.5	4,705	4,984	3,374
ding Products	43.1	43.1	29.5	655	560	275
dian Pacific Railway	11.5	11.9	10.6	4,062	6,107	4,206
olidated Smelters	55.3	55.8	171.2#	3,508	2,675	1,890
illers Corp.-Seagrams	23.4	24.2	24.7	6,685	10,530	1,733
nion Bridge	43.0	42.7	28.6	1,218	1,635	642
Farmer	16.1	16.3	9.3	1,705	2,785	2,830
"A"	20.1	20.2	25.7	2,445	1,790	6,700
year Tire	77.5	75.5	66.5	430	102	92
nger	14.1	14.5	12.7	1,955	1,332	810
rial Tobacco	13.8	14.0	13.5	4,019	4,735	1,765
national Nickel	52.8	52.9	29.0	26,627	16,117	13,342
of the Woods	27.5	26.4	8.7	2,435	1,994	165
aw	20.4	19.7	17.7	2,133	2,687	1,778
l-Frontenac Oil	14.0	14.3	13.0	2,550	2,903	599
real Light, Heat & Power	31.9	31.1	32.8	9,752	11,100	6,337
onal Breweries	43.6	43.6	36.4	1,498	1,733	2,248
ada	64.5	64.1	-	4,753	2,951	-
nigan	20.3	20.4	18.2	5,618	2,990	2,128
of Canada	68.0	66.7	49.6	2,289	1,222	406
Gas	11.6	11.8	5.3	2,267	2,669	968
ers	35.5	35.2	26.5	5,592	12,749	3,295
on Limited	16.9	17.4	31.1	2,280	4,940	276
TOTAL SALES				108,752	109,437	66,725

shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

lit 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term l prices, on the base 1926=100, fell from 119.2 for the week ending August 21 to 119.1 the week ending August 28. An early decline of minor proportions was counterbalanced ecovery in the final days of the week. Trading throughout was comparatively light.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields rose from 63.1 to 63.2. average yield of the six issues used in this index was 2.99 as compared with 2.98 for preceding week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
uary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
ruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
ch	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
il	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
e	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
y	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
ust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	-
tember	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
ober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
vember	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
ember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
uary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
ruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
ch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
il	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
e	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
y	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
ust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	-
tember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
ober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
vember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
ember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date	Prices	Yields
May 1	115.7	69.2
8	115.9	68.9
15	116.1	68.6
22	115.8	69.0
29	115.9	68.8
June 5	116.1	68.5
12	116.7	67.4
19	117.4	66.2
26	117.4	66.2
July 3	117.5	66.1
10	117.7	65.7
17	118.0	65.1
24	118.0	65.0
31	118.4	64.4
Aug. 7	118.8	63.7
14	119.2	63.0
21	119.2	63.1
28	119.1	63.2

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES			
Number of of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ≠
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	89.6
March	125.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
Weekly Index Numbers														
August 29th, 1935	146.3	118.3	11.7	60.3	211.6	64.2	128.6	121.4	203.6	47.3	26.6	101.0	60.1	98.1
1936														
August 6th	189.3	127.5	18.9	87.5	219.3	68.8	157.0	128.9	342.5	53.4	30.3	113.4	67.6	118.5
August 13th	193.5	129.3	18.3	87.7	223.9	68.1	158.4	130.7	352.5	53.1	30.8	112.9	66.6	120.4
August 20th	193.0	128.4	18.3	88.9	222.4	68.5	157.4	133.2	352.2	52.7	29.8	113.3	66.5	119.9
August 27th	192.3	128.7	18.1	89.2	221.5	68.1	158.0	131.4	351.2	52.3	28.8	114.1	66.4	119.4

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
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Common stocks were active during the past week and gains in prices were ite general. The index mounted from 119.4 for the week of August 27 to 120.9 for the ek of September 3, the highest level reached since the middle of April. The index for 2 common issues was 97.3 for the week of September 5, 1935. An appreciable advance s recorded in the Industrials section, with all sub-groups higher excepting Oils. ong stocks to register marked gains were Ford "A", Lake of the Woods, Distillers-agrams, Walkers and International Nickel. The index for 89 industrials was 194.6 for e week of September 3, as compared with 192.3 for the preceding week and 145.6 for the rresponding period, last year. Owing to higher prices for C.P.R. and the more prominent sues in the Power and Traction sub-group, the index for the Utilities rose fractionally m 52.3 for the week of August 27 to 53.1 for this week. The index for the comparable ek in 1935 was 46.3.

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Sept.3	1936 Aug.27	1935 Sept.5	1936 Sept.3	1936 Aug.27	1935 Sept.5
	$	$	$			
l Telephone	149.9	149.8	131.3	797	1,356	434
azilian	12.2	11.5	7.4	17,270	8,215	3,747
itish American Oil	23.7	23.6	15.5	5,028	4,705	1,278
adian Car and Foundry	9.0	8.4	6.1	17,296	2,720	1,155
adian Ind. Alcohol "A"	7.3	6.8	8.3	10,394	3,770	3,594
adian Pacific Railway	11.9	11.5	10.1	3,984	4,062	1,883
solidated Smelters	54.3	55.3	169.9#	3,276	3,508	501
wn Cork and Seal	17.9	16.5	-	3,570	70	-
tillers Corp.-Seagrams	25.6	23.4	25.2	19,650	6,685	2,202
ny Farmer	16.7	16.1	9.3	4,745	1,705	1,805
d "A"	22.1	20.1	26.1	9,753	2,445	3,925
ndation Co.	19.6	17.7	12.0	3,575	1,240	105
perial Tobacco	14.0	13.8	13.5	5,486	4,019	2,086
ernational Nickel	54.5	52.8	29.1	33,834	26,627	8,249
vinator	18.0	16.4	-	3,315	1,240	-
e of the Woods	30.8	27.5	8.8	4,500	2,435	40
law	20.4	20.4	17.6	4,125	2,133	1,449
treal Light, Heat & Power	32.0	31.9	32.5	5,048	9,752	3,227
re	39.4	38.2	22.2	1,295	465	145
ional Breweries	43.2	43.6	36.3	1,847	1,498	1,097
anda	62.8	64.5	-	3,217	4,753	-
winigan	20.0	20.3	17.2	3,723	5,618	3,040
el of Canada	68.7	68.0	49.7	1,944	2,289	731
kers	38.4	35.5	27.2	13,907	5,592	2,440
ston Limited	17.3	16.9	15.8	5,152	2,280	350
TOTAL SALES				186,731	109,182	43,483

As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 119.1 for the week ending August 28 to 119.3 for the week ending September 4. Demand was good and bids were firm, but turnover was restricted with offerings relatively light.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 63.2 to 62.8. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 2.97 as compared with 2.99 for the week preceding.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date	Prices	Yields
June 5	116.1	68.5
12	116.7	67.4
19	117.4	66.2
26	117.4	66.2
July 3	117.5	66.1
10	117.7	65.7
17	118.0	65.1
24	118.0	65.0
31	118.4	64.4
Aug. 7	118.8	63.7
14	119.2	63.0
21	119.2	63.1
28	119.1	63.2
Sept. 4	119.2	62.8

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES			
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ≠
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August														
Weekly Index Numbers														
September 5th, 1935	145.6	118.5	11.4	60.3	208.6	62.5	128.9	123.1	203.8	46.3	25.3	100.4	59.4	97.3
1936														
August 6th	189.3	127.5	18.9	87.5	219.3	68.8	157.0	128.9	342.5	53.4	30.3	113.4	67.6	118.5
August 13th	193.5	129.3	18.3	87.7	223.9	68.1	158.4	130.7	352.5	53.1	30.8	112.9	66.6	120.4
August 20th	193.0	128.4	18.3	88.9	222.4	68.5	157.4	133.2	352.2	52.7	29.8	113.3	66.5	119.9
August 27th	192.3	128.7	18.1	89.2	221.5	68.1	158.0	131.4	351.2	52.3	28.8	114.1	66.4	119.4
September 3rd	194.6	133.3	18.1	90.7	220.4	69.0	159.6	136.9	359.3	53.1	29.8	114.1	67.1	120.9

x Weekly figures ≠ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Activity continued on the Canadian Stock Markets with a number of common issues registering important gains. The general index of 112 stocks was 122.4 for the week of September 10, as compared with 120.9 for the preceding week. The comparable figure for last year was 98.7. Six out of eight sub-groups in the Industrial section showed appreciable advances while a slight weakness was noticed in beverages, and a loss of 0.7 recorded for Oils. The index of 89 industrials mounted from 194.6 for the week of September 3 to 196.9 for this week and 147.9 for the week of September 12, 1935. Dominion Textile, Gypsum, Lime and Alabastine, International Nickel and Moore were those to stage pronounced gains during the past week. Due to generally higher prices in the Utilities the index for this group rose from 53.1 for the week of September 3 to 53.9 for the following week. The index for the corresponding week in 1935 was 47.3.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Sept.10	1936 Sept.3	1935 Sept.12	1936 Sept.10	1936 Sept.3	1935 Sept.12
	$	$	$			
Bell Telephone	150.1	149.9	131.9	500	797	730
Brazilian	12.5	12.2	7.9	17,958	17,270	9,215
British American Oil	23.9	23.7	15.9	2,240	5,028	3,512
Canadian Car and Foundry	9.8	9.0	6.0	14,475	17,296	3,396
Canadian Pacific Railway	12.2	11.9	10.7	12,381	3,984	8,344
Canada Cement	7.4	6.7	6.1	6,412	1,473	1,745
Consolidated Smelters	54.9	54.3	171.0#	7,660	3,276	1,098
Distillers Corp-Seagrams	25.5	25.6	27.2	4,745	19,650	7,615
Dominion Steel and Coal "B"	6.0	5.1	4.8	7,355	2,095	1,910
Fanny Farmer	17.3	16.7	9.6	5,184	4,745	7,217
Ford "A"	22.5	22.1	26.6	4,047	9,753	9,285
Gypsum, Lime and Alabastine	9.9	7.8	5.4	66,716	1,120	490
Imperial Tobacco	14.0	14.0	13.2	8,209	5,486	2,362
International Nickel	56.3	54.5	29.7	47,984	33,834	45,040
Loblaw	20.3	20.4	16.8	3,612	4,125	3,226
McColl-Frontenac Oil	14.2	14.1	13.0	3,315	2,386	1,052
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	32.0	32.0	32.8	3,454	5,048	3,059
National Breweries	43.4	43.2	36.6	1,140	1,847	1,015
Noranda	63.0	62.8	-	2,398	3,217	-
Pressed Metals	30.6	28.7	12.2	3,176	455	1,041
Shawinigan	20.4	20.0	17.4	4,631	3,723	3,446
Steel of Canada	68.6	68.7	49.8	1,090	1,944	2,624
Union Gas	12.2	11.1	5.6	3,633	4,242	2,208
Walkers	39.0	38.4	27.8	1,592	13,907	8,473
Weston Limited	18.4	17.3	16.3	14,552	5,152	1,715
TOTAL SALES				248,459	171,853	129,818

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 119.3 for the week ending September 4 to 119.4 for the week ending September 11. On Thursday morning subscription lists were opened for the new $100,000,000. Federal issue, which is comprised of 1 p.c. notes and 3 p.c. perpetual bonds. The response was most gratifying and lists remained open for two and one-half hours only.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 62.8 to 62.6 during the week. The average yield of the six issues used in this index remained at 2.97, but recessions in the more heavily weighted conversions were responsible for the lowering of the index.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	93.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date	Prices	Yields
June 5	116.1	68.5
12	116.7	67.4
19	117.4	66.2
26	117.4	66.2
July 3	117.5	66.1
10	117.7	65.7
17	118.0	65.1
24	118.0	65.0
31	118.4	64.4
Aug. 7	118.8	63.7
14	119.2	63.0
21	119.2	63.1
28	119.1	63.2
Sept. 4	119.3	62.8
11	119.4	62.6

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 8	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	Grand Total 112 ≠
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	83.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.6	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
Weekly Index Numbers														
September 12th, 1935	147.9	119.8	12.3	60.6	210.9	63.1	128.0	129.0	207.3	47.3	26.8	100.8	59.8	98.7
1936														
August 6th	189.3	127.5	18.9	87.5	219.3	68.8	157.0	128.9	342.5	53.4	30.3	113.4	67.6	118.5
August 13th	193.5	129.3	18.3	87.7	223.9	68.1	158.4	130.7	352.5	53.1	30.8	112.9	66.6	120.4
August 20th	193.0	128.4	18.3	88.9	222.4	68.5	157.4	133.2	352.2	52.7	29.8	113.3	66.5	119.9
August 27th	192.3	128.7	18.1	89.2	221.5	68.1	158.0	131.4	351.2	52.3	28.8	114.1	66.4	119.4
September 3rd	194.6	133.3	18.1	90.7	220.4	69.0	159.6	136.9	359.3	53.1	29.8	114.1	67.1	120.9
September 10th	196.9	135.7	18.8	91.1	219.7	70.0	161.6	136.8	370.0	53.9	30.6	114.3	68.2	122.4

x Weekly figures. ≠ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Irregularly higher prices prevailed on Canadian stock markets during the week nd the index for 112 common stocks showed a moderate gain, the third in succession. he general index rose from 122.4 for September 10 to 123.8 for September 17. The comarative index for last year was 98.5. Eighty-nine Industrials mounted from 196.9 for he week ending September 10 to 199.6 for the week ending September 17. In this section, ils registered a substantial advance after almost a month of gradual recession and iscellaneous reached a new high for this year due chiefly to the advance in price of onsolidated Smelters and International Nickel. Other Industrial stocks to attract ttention were Simpsons "A", Riverside Silk, Dominion Textile and Pressed Metals. The ndustrial index for the corresponding week in 1935 was 148.7. Prices of Utilities were airly steady during the week and consequently the index showed only a minor gain of 0.1. he Utilities index was 54.0 for the week of September 17 as compared with 53.9 for the recoding week and 46.7 for the week of September 19, 1935.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Sept.17	1936 Sept.10	1935 Sept.19	1936 Sept.17	1936 Sept.10	1935 Sept.19
	$	$	$			
ell Telephone	150.6	150.1	131.6	853	500	856
razilian	12.7	12.5	8.0	10,376	17,958	4,975
ritish American Oil	23.8	23.9	15.9	5,317	2,240	1,998
uilding Products	43.7	43.2	29.1	897	600	730
anadian Car & Foundry	8.9	9.6	5.8	4,080	14,475	1,201
anadian Pacific Railway	12.2	12.2	10.3	8,462	12,381	4,830
onsolidated Smelters	57.9	54.9	173.0/	16,108	7,660	2,867
istillers Corp.-Seagrams	24.9	25.5	26.2	4,145	4,745	3,095
ominion Bridge	42.7	42.6	28.7	1,417	817	591
ominion Textile	70.0	68.3	65.0	582	82	125
ord "A"	22.8	22.5	26.9	8,231	4,047	8,245
ypsum Lime & Alabastine	9.6	9.9	5.4	19,245	66,716	605
ollinger	14.6	14.4	13.7	2,484	1,705	2,010
mperial Tobacco	14.0	14.0	13.1	3,455	8,209	3,430
nternational Nickel	57.3	56.3	30.8	41,062	47,984	56,738
ake of the Woods	30.0	30.1	9.9	2,405	166	690
oblaw	20.6	20.3	17.1	4,130	3,612	2,265
ontreal Light, Heat & Power	31.6	32.0	32.3	6,368	3,454	4,395
ational Breweries	43.5	43.4	36.1	2,764	1,140	2,608
randa	63.5	63.0	-	4,786	2,398	-
anawinigan	21.5	20.4	17.0	6,872	4,631	3,109
erwin-Williams	19.9	19.1	11.9	1,895	390	185
teel of Canada	69.0	68.6	50.0	1,328	1,090	2,068
ilkors	38.3	39.0	27.3	4,287	1,592	2,903
ston Ltd.	19.3	18.4	15.8	7,434	14,552	1,075
TOTAL SALES				169,003	223,144	111,594

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

/ Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, declined from 119.4 for the week ending September 11 to 119.3 for the week ending September 18. At Montreal, quiet conditions obtained for much of the time and at the close quotations were unchanged to slightly easier.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 62.6 to 62.8. The average yield of the six issues used in this index was 2.98 as compared with 2.97 for the previous week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LOND-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	93.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date	Prices	Yields
June 5	116.1	68.5
12	116.7	67.4
19	117.4	66.2
26	117.4	66.2
July 3	117.5	66.1
10	117.7	65.7
17	118.0	65.1
24	118.0	65.0
31	118.4	64.4
Aug. 7	118.8	63.7
14	119.2	63.0
21	119.2	63.1
28	119.1	63.2
Sept. 4	119.3	62.8
11	119.4	62.6
18	119.3	62.8

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 8	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	Grand Total 112 ≠
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	87.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
Weekly Index Numbers														
September 19th, 1935	148.7	120.4	12.8	61.6	207.9	63.4	127.9	127.2	213.3	46.7	25.8	100.5	59.5	98.5
1936														
August 6th	189.3	127.5	18.9	87.5	219.3	68.8	157.0	128.9	342.5	53.4	30.3	113.4	67.6	118.5
August 13th	193.5	129.3	18.3	87.7	223.9	68.1	158.4	130.7	352.5	53.1	30.8	112.9	66.6	120.4
August 20th	193.0	128.4	18.3	88.9	222.4	68.5	157.4	133.2	352.2	52.7	29.8	113.3	66.5	119.9
August 27th	192.3	128.7	18.1	89.2	221.5	68.1	158.0	131.4	351.2	52.3	28.8	114.1	66.4	119.4
September 3rd	194.6	133.3	18.1	90.7	220.4	69.0	159.6	136.9	359.3	53.1	29.8	114.1	67.1	120.9
September 10th	196.9	135.7	18.8	91.1	219.7	70.0	161.6	136.8	370.0	53.9	30.6	114.3	68.2	122.4
September 17th	199.6	136.2	18.8	91.0	222.2	70.8	162.9	135.9	378.1	54.0	30.6	114.6	68.5	123.8

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

In the fourth of September, common stocks on Canadian stock markets staged the greatest advance since the beginning of March when the index was 127.0. Prices moved forward rapidly till the latter part of the week when an easier tone was evident for many of the leading stocks. The index for 112 common stocks was 126.5 for September 24 as compared with 123.8 for September 17 and 95.8 for September 26 last year. Due to general gains in Industrials the weekly index moved up from 199.6 to 204.9. All sub-groups were higher with Milling, Miscellaneous and Iron and Steel heading the advance. The rise in price of International Nickel was spectacular, its weekly average of $60.9 being the highest since March 1929. Among other Industrials to attract attention were Consolidated Smelters, Lake of the Woods, Ogilvie, Dominion Bridge, Page-Hersey, Penman's, Walkers, and Building Products. The comparative index for 1935 was 144.8. Twenty-three Utilities registered a fractional gain of 0.3. Two of the three sub-groups showed minor gains and the index rose from 54.0 for the week ending September 17 to 54.3 for the week of September 24. For the corresponding week in 1935 the Utilities index was 45.2.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Sept.24	1936 Sept.17	1935 Sept.26	1936 Sept.24	1936 Sept.17	1935 Sept.26
	$	$	$			
Bathurst Power & Paper "A"	13.6	12.5	8.0	6,394	732	1,810
Bell Telephone	150.2	150.6	130.9	833	853	594
Brazilian	12.8	12.7	7.6	16,647	10,376	6,818
British American Oil	23.1	23.8	15.3	6,254	5,317	4,050
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	6.6	6.9	8.0	9,358	3,285	5,379
Canadian Pacific Railway	12.3	12.2	9.9	10,569	8,462	5,411
Consolidated Smelters	59.4	57.9	169.6[1]	20,684	16,108	2,132
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	25.7	24.9	24.8	14,075	4,145	2,055
Dominion Bridge	45.4	42.7	28.4	6,174	1,417	887
Dominion Textile	69.8	70.0	60.7	1,080	582	225
Fanny Farmer	17.9	17.4	9.3	5,125	1,845	6,250
Ford "A"	23.1	22.8	25.4	3,916	8,231	4,506
Gypsum, Lime & Alabastine	9.6	9.6	5.0	19,797	19,245	1,635
Imperial Tobacco	14.0	14.0	12.9	16,256	3,455	2,820
International Nickel	60.9	57.3	30.1	75,439	41,062	43,605
Lake of the Woods	33.4	30.0	10.0	5,255	2,405	365
Loblaw	21.2	20.6	16.9	3,310	4,130	1,737
McColl-Frontenac Oil	14.1	14.1	12.7	4,579	2,442	4,723
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	32.0	31.6	30.9	7,945	6,368	5,783
National Breweries	42.6	43.5	35.1	2,526	2,784	3,186
Noranda	64.8	63.5	-	9,254	4,786	-
Shawinigan	21.5	21.5	16.6	3,409	6,872	2,356
Steel of Canada	68.7	69.0	49.3	1,425	1,328	541
Walkers	40.4	38.3	25.9	10,167	4,287	3,752
Weston Ltd.	19.3	19.3	14.0	4,514	7,434	1,325
TOTAL SALES				264,985	167,951	111,945

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

1 Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term ond prices, on the base 1926=100, fell from 119.3 for the week ending September 18 to 19.2 for the week ending September 25. Quotations were steady in the first part of the eek but in the last two days an easier tendency was in evidence with offerings remaining ight.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 62.8 to 3.1. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 2.99 as compared with 2.98 or the previous week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928 - 1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
anuary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
ebruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
arch	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
pril	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
ay	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
une	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
uly	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
ugust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
eptember.....	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	-
ctober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
ovember	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
ecember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928 - 1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
anuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
ebruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
arch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
pril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
ay	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
une	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
uly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
ugust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
eptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	-
ctober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
ovember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
ecember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
June	5	116.1	68.5
	12	116.7	67.4
	19	117.4	66.2
	26	117.4	66.2
July	3	117.5	66.1
	10	117.7	65.7
	17	118.0	65.1
	24	118.0	65.0
	31	118.4	64.4
Aug.	7	118.8	63.7
	14	119.2	63.0
	21	119.2	63.1
	28	119.1	63.2
Sept.	4	119.3	62.8
	11	119.4	62.6
	18	119.3	62.8
	25	119.2	63.1

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

Number of Securities	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ƒ
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	8	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	87.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.5	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.5	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
Weekly Index Numbers														
September 26th, 1935	144.8	116.1	12.4	61.7	202.5	60.2	127.2	121.0	208.6	45.2	24.8	100.0	57.3	95.8
1936														
August 20th	193.0	128.4	18.3	88.9	222.4	68.5	157.4	133.2	352.2	52.7	29.8	113.3	66.5	119.9
August 27th	192.3	128.7	18.1	89.2	221.5	68.1	158.0	131.4	351.2	52.3	28.8	114.1	66.4	119.4
September 3rd	194.6	133.3	18.1	90.7	220.4	69.0	159.6	136.9	359.3	53.1	29.8	114.1	67.1	120.9
September 10th	196.9	135.7	18.8	91.1	219.7	70.0	161.6	136.8	370.0	53.9	30.6	114.3	68.2	122.4
September 17th	199.6	136.2	18.8	91.0	222.2	70.8	162.9	135.9	378.1	54.0	30.6	114.6	68.5	123.8
September 24th	204.9	139.0	20.1	96.1	223.4	71.2	165.2	136.5	398.0	54.3	30.8	114.3	68.9	126.5

x Weekly figures ƒ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Prices on Canadian stock markets on Friday, September 25, were unsettled and osses were general even for recent leaders, but stocks rallied briskly at the week-end ntil Monday at noon when they turned reactionary. A firmer tone was again exhibited n Tuesday and further advances the following day were accompanied by heavy trading and any new highs. The market developed a mixed appearance on Thursday, October 1 (the nal day of the index week.) but Industrials were generally firmer. Therefore the neral index for 112 common stocks rose from 126.5 for the week ending September 24 to 27.1 for the week ending October 1. The comparative index for last year was 94.7. In e Industrial section, five sub-groups were higher and Textiles remained unchanged at 6.2. Noteworthy gains occurred for National Steel Car, Bathurst Power & Paper "A", ominion Bridge, Ogilvie, Fanny Farmer, Hunts "A" and Lake of the Woods. The Beverage d Miscellaneous sub-groups were lower and all stocks included in the former showed sses, the more pronounced being recorded for Distillers-Seagrams and National Breweries. actional declines for Consolidated Smelters and International Nickel were mainly reonsible for the drop in the Miscellaneous index. The Industrial index was 205.2 for tober 1 as compared with 204.9 for September 24 and 144.1 for the corresponding week 1935. Influenced by gains in Power and Traction, the Utilities index moved upward om 54.3 for the week of September 24 to 55.2 for the week of October 1. For the week ding October 3, last year the index was 44.3. The feature traders in this group were azilian, Montreal Light, Heat & Power and Power Corporation.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	Oct. 1 1936	Sept. 24 1936	Oct. 3 1935	Oct. 1 1936	Sept. 24 1936	Oct. 3 1935
	$	$	$			
thurst Power & Paper "A"	14.9	13.6	7.7	19,659	6,394	1,345
ell Telephone	150.2	150.2	130.1	715	833	643
azilian	14.1	12.8	7.5	99,676	16,647	6,452
itish American Oil	22.8	23.1	15.1	2,928	6,254	4,396
nadian Car & Foundry	9.3	8.8	5.5	7,230	5,796	1,470
nadian Pacific Railway	12.1	12.3	9.3	9,313	10,569	4,927
nsolidated Smelters	58.6	59.4	168.8/	6,752	20,684	2,139
stillers Corp.-Seagrams	24.3	25.7	25.2	13,200	14,075	1,695
minion Bridge	46.7	45.4	28.2	2,803	6,174	713
nny Farmer	19.1	17.9	9.4	7,005	5,125	3,045
rd "A"	23.3	23.1	24.8	10,481	3,916	5,236
undation Co.	20.4	19.5	11.2	2,795	1,530	130
psum Lime & Alabastine	10.9	9.6	4.9	27,786	19,797	825
ternational Nickel	60.6	60.9	30.1	38,779	75,439	18,613
ke of the Woods	34.9	33.4	9.8	4,183	5,255	180
ntreal Light, Heat & Power	32.9	32.0	30.5	10,657	7,945	3,220
tional Breweries	41.5	42.6	34.7	2,616	2,526	2,072
tional Steel Car	19.1	16.8	13.5	8,397	2,295	600
randa	64.8	64.8	-	4,333	9,254	-
wer Corporation	16.2	15.5	7.1	6,379	1,998	363
awinigan	21.8	21.5	16.5	9,395	3,409	2,004
.Lawrence Corporation	3.6	3.0	1.2	18,920	16,910	835
ited Steel	4.3	3.8	2.7	16,016	2,215	425
lkers	40.1	40.4	25.0	6,663	10,167	5,131
ston Ltd.	19.1	19.3	15.1	4,900	4,514	1,090
TOTAL SALES				341,581	259,721	67,549

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.
/ Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928 - 1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-rm bond prices, on the base 1926=100, declined from 119.2 for the week ending September ; to 118.2 for the week ending October 2. The outstanding development of the week, .z., the devaluation of the French franc caused but a mild disturbance on the high-ade bond market. For the first few days of the week prices softened somewhat on moder-e trading but later a firmer tone was apparent due, in part, to the buoyancy of the ndon market.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 63.1 to .3 during the week. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.04 as mpared with 2.99 for the preceding week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.4	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
bruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
rch	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
ril	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
y	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
ne	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
ly	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
gust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
ptember	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
tober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
vember	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
cember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

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(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
bruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
rch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
ril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
y	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
ne	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
ly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
gust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
ptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
tober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
vember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
cember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
July	3	117.5	66.1
	10	117.7	65.7
	17	118.0	65.1
	24	118.0	65.0
	31	118.4	64.4
Aug.	7	118.8	63.7
	14	119.2	63.0
	21	119.2	63.1
	28	119.1	63.2
Sept.	4	119.3	62.8
	11	119.4	62.6
	18	119.3	62.8
	25	119.2	63.1
Oct.	2	118.2	64.3

[x] Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926 = 100

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	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 8	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	Grand Total 112 ≠
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
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September 10th	196.9	135.7	18.8	91.1	219.7	70.0	161.6	136.8	370.0	53.9	30.6	114.3	68.2	122.4
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September 24th	204.9	139.0	20.1	96.1	223.4	71.2	165.2	136.5	398.0	54.3	30.8	114.3	68.9	126.5
October 1st	205.2	141.0	21.7	99.0	225.7	71.2	166.5	132.1	395.3	55.2	30.3	114.3	71.2	127.1

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

For the first four days of the week beginning October 2, common stock prices on Canadian stock markets advanced strongly. Trading was the heaviest in three years. Late on Wednesday a reaction set in after many stocks had mounted to new highs and the market developed an irregular appearance. On the following day profit-taking was less evident and prices were definitely firmer before the close. Both Industrials and Utilities registered substantial gains for the week and accordingly, the general index for 112 stocks mounted from 127.1 for the week ending October 1 to 131.5 for the week ending October 8. The comparative index for last year was 96.3. In the Industrial section all sub-groups were higher and the index was 210.3 for the week of October 8 as compared with 205.2 for the previous week, and 147.5 for the corresponding week in 1935. Many Industrial stocks attained new highs, and heading the advance were Dominion Bridge, National Steel Car and Page-Hersey in the Iron and Steel sub-group and International Nickel and Pressed Metals in the Miscellaneous section. Practically all stocks included in the Utilities group recorded gains, the most outstanding being shown for Montreal Power, Brazilian, C.P.R. and Bell Telephone. Twenty-three Utilities made a record advance for this year when the index rose from 55.2 for the week ending October 1 to 59.2 for October 8. For the week ending October 10, 1935, this index was 44.1.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	Oct.8 1936	Oct.1 1936	Oct.10 1935	Oct.8 1936	Oct.1 1936	Oct.10 1935
	$	$	$			
Abitibi	3.6	2.4	.8	78,535	20,492	720
Bathurst Power & Paper "A"	15.6	14.9	7.8	17,700	19,659	345
Bell Telephone	151.1	150.2	129.9	1,095	715	864
Brazilian	16.2	14.1	7.4	115,240	99,676	3,810
British American Oil	23.0	22.8	14.9	12,390	2,928	3,353
Canadian Car & Foundry	10.4	9.3	5.0	24,150	7,230	515
Canada Cement	8.7	7.4	5.2	18,601	2,780	1,552
Canadian Pacific Railway	13.5	12.1	9.3	69,784	9,313	3,781
Consolidated Smelters	59.4	58.6	173.84	8,627	6,752	3,921
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	23.0	24.3	25.7	15,390	13,200	1,290
Dominion Bridge	48.8	46.7	28.2	4,109	2,803	518
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	7.1	5.9	4.1	31,801	4,946	1,095
Ford "A"	24.3	23.3	24.9	14,891	10,481	3,140
Gypsum Lime & Alabastine	11.5	10.9	4.6	19,040	27,786	415
Howard Smith	15.1	13.4	9.5	29,414	3,975	255
International Nickel	62.1	60.6	31.4	40,174	38,779	30,749
Jamaica Ltd.	37.4	36.0	30.0	4,570	780	100
McColl-Frontenac Oil	14.5	14.1	12.0	11,086	3,976	1,418
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	35.0	32.9	30.6	27,863	10,657	2,886
National Breweries	41.2	41.5	34.4	5,898	2,616	1,445
Noranda	65.0	64.8	-	4,745	4,333	-
Shawinigan	23.8	21.8	16.0	17,310	9,395	2,195
Steel of Canada	69.6	68.5	48.4	2,581	637	1,271
United Steel	5.3	4.3	2.6	30,045	16,016	350
Walkers	42.8	40.1	24.0	12,388	6,663	5,002
TOTAL SALES				617,327	326,588	70,990

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.
Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, fell from 118.2 for the week ending October 2 to 117.8 for the week ending October 9. Italy devalued the lira by 41 p.c., October 5, but the effect of this action upon international bond markets was inconsiderable. A good demand with slightly higher prices prevailed in the first half of the week but trading was light at lower levels in the closing days.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 64.3 to 65.1. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.09 as compared with 3.04 for the preceding week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	103.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December.....	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
July	3	117.5	66.1
	10	117.7	65.7
	17	118.0	65.1
	24	118.0	65.0
	31	118.4	64.4
Aug.	7	118.8	63.7
	14	119.2	63.0
	21	119.2	63.1
	28	119.1	63.2
Sept.	4	119.[illegible]	62.8
	11	119.4	62.6
	18	119.3	62.8
	25	119.2	63.1
Oct.	2	118.2	64.3
	9	117.8	65.1

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES			
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ✓
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	87.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
September	200.6	137.9	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	384.4	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	125.2
Weekly Index Numbers														
October 10th 1935	147.5	113.6	12.1	59.8	205.8	60.2	130.5	119.6	216.1	44.1	23.3	99.2	56.6	96.3
1936														
September 3rd	194.6	133.3	18.1	90.7	220.4	69.0	159.6	136.9	359.3	53.1	29.8	114.1	67.1	120.9
September 10th	196.9	135.7	18.8	91.1	219.7	70.0	161.6	136.8	370.0	53.9	30.6	114.3	68.2	122.4
September 17th	199.6	136.2	18.8	91.0	222.2	70.8	162.9	135.9	378.1	54.0	30.6	114.6	68.5	123.8
September 24th	204.9	139.0	20.1	96.1	223.4	71.2	165.2	136.5	398.0	54.3	30.8	114.3	68.9	126.5
October 1st	205.2	141.0	21.7	99.0	225.7	71.2	166.5	132.1	395.3	55.2	30.3	114.3	71.2	127.1
October 8th	210.3	149.5	24.8	100.3	230.0	73.3	170.2	132.5	405.8	59.2	33.8	115.1	76.6	131.5

x Weekly figures. ✓ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Common stock prices moved somewhat irregularly with continued moderate profit-aking reported for the first two days of the week beginning October 8. The market opened trong and steady on Tuesday after the extended week-end, taking in the holiday but losed weaker. For the final days of the index week a few selected stocks moved higher it most fluctuated narrowly. However, the gains for the week of October 15 more than itweighed recessions and the general index for 112 stocks rose from 131.5 for the week f October 8 to 133.7 for this week. The comparative index for last year was 99.0. n the Industrial section, all sub-groups, Pulp and Paper excepted, were higher and the ndex mounted from 210.3 October 8 to 213.8 for October 15. For the corresponding week n 1935, this index was 151.4. The rise in price of all the Oils caused this sub-group o advance 6.7 points while other Industrial stocks to attract attention were Consolidated olters, Ogilvie, Canadian Bronze, Page-Hersey and Sherwin-Williams. The three sub-roups included in Utilities showed minor gains and the index for the twenty-three stocks s 60.2 for the week ending October 15 as compared with 59.2 for the previous week and .8 for October 17 last year.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	Oct.15 1936	Oct.8 1936	Oct.17 1935	Oct.15 1936	Oct.8 1936	Oct.17 1935
	$	$	$			
azilian	15.9	16.2	7.7	17,874	115,240	5,233
itish American Oil	23.6	23.0	14.3	6,999	12,390	4,204
ilding Products	49.1	47.8	27.2	1,393	457	421
nadian Pacific Railway	13.8	13.5	9.4	15,473	69,784	4,152
nsolidated Smelters	62.4	59.4	182.6/	15,238	8,627	5,122
stillers Corp.-Seagrams	23.7	23.0	27.2	19,845	15,390	1,709
minion Steel & Coal "B"	7.7	7.1	4.2	18,877	31,801	2,838
rd "A"	24.9	24.3	26.3	9,111	14,891	13,039
psum Lime & Alabastine	12.0	11.5	5.1	21,952	19,040	1,233
nde & Dauch	19.3	19.3	10.5	5,942	6,885	305
ward Smith	16.3	15.1	9.9	5,903	29,414	240
perial Oil	22.3	21.5	20.0	20,614	37,392	5,907
perial Tobacco	14.0	14.0	12.7	4,943	8,567	3,919
ternational Nickel	62.1	62.1	31.5	27,987	40,074	15,687
ternational Petroleum	36.7	36.0	35.0	7,616	7,106	4,815
ce of the Woods	33.7	35.4	9.7	3,100	2,180	570
olaw	21.2	21.1	17.0	3,821	4,477	2,272
Coll-Frontenac Oil	15.7	14.5	12.5	9,919	11,086	20,484
ntreal Light, Heat & Power	35.4	33.0	32.2	7,183	27,863	5,968
tional Breweries	41.2	41.2	35.9	4,551	5,898	2,255
anda	65.7	65.0	-	9,361	4,745	-
ge-Hersey	98.4	95.9	78.5	833	811	220
winigan	25.0	23.8	18.2	8,927	17,310	6,971
kers	42.6	42.8	25.9	2,893	12,388	5,794
ton	19.6	19.5	14.8	4,472	5,495	320
OTAL SALES				254,527	509,311	113,678

As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.
Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-
erm bond prices, on the base 1926=100, declined from 117.8 for the week ending October
) to 117.0 for the week ending October 16. Prices softened gradually during the greater
part of this period but on Thursday a firmer tendency was noted, although offerings con-
inued to be light. In financial circles, the outstanding incident of the week was the
greement between Great Britain, France and The United States for the free exchange of
old as a means of stabilizing currencies. Canadian bond markets, however, were not
oticeably affected by this arrangement.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields mounted from 65.1 to
6.3 during the week. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.16 as
ompared with 3.09 for the week before.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
anuary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
ebruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
arch	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
pril	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
ay	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
une	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
uly	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
ugust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
eptember	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
ctober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
ovember	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
ecember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Company Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
bruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
rch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
ril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
y	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
ne	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
ly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
gust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
ptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
tober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
vember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
cember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date	Prices	Yields
July 3	117.5	66.1
10	117.7	65.7
17	118.0	65.1
24	118.0	65.0
31	118.4	64.4
Aug. 7	118.8	63.7
14	119.2	63.0
21	119.2	63.1
28	119.1	63.2
Sept. 4	119.3	62.8
11	119.4	62.6
18	119.3	62.8
25	119.2	63.1
Oct. 2	118.2	64.3
9	117.8	65.1
16	117.0	66.3

[x] Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 9	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	Grand Total 112 ≠
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	87.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.6	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
September	200.6	137.9	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	384.4	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	125.2
Weekly Index Numbers														
October 17th 1935	151.4	118.0	12.4	60.4	212.7	62.9	133.0	126.0	218.9	45.8	23.6	100.3	60.0	99.0
1936														
September 17th	199.6	136.2	18.8	91.0	222.2	70.8	162.9	135.9	378.1	54.0	30.6	114.6	68.5	123.8
September 24th	204.9	139.0	20.1	96.1	223.4	71.2	165.2	136.5	398.0	54.3	30.8	114.3	68.9	126.5
October 1st	205.2	141.0	21.7	99.0	225.7	71.2	166.5	132.1	395.3	55.2	30.3	114.3	71.2	127.1
October 8th	210.3	149.5	24.8	100.3	230.0	73.3	170.2	132.5	405.8	59.2	33.8	115.1	76.6	131.5
October 15th	213.8	151.7	24.6	100.4	236.7	73.7	171.2	133.6	409.1	60.2	34.6	115.7	77.8	133.7

x Weekly figures. ≠ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Two firm sessions on October 16 and 21 were sufficient to produce a small rise in industrial averages for the week ended October 22. For the remainder of this period, markets presented a mixed appearance and prices showed no definite trend. For the week ending October 22, the general index for 112 stocks was 134.4 as compared with 133.7 for the week ending October 15 and 101.5 for October 24, last year. In the Industrial section, all sub-groups with the exception of Iron and Steel, Beverages and Textiles, were higher and the index advanced from 213.8 for the week of October 15 to 216.0 for the week of October 22. The comparative index for 1935 was 154.8. The feature traders in this group were Canada Cement, Dominion Steel & Coal "B" and Gypsum Lime and Alabastine while other Industrial stocks to attract attention were Ogilvie, Consolidated Smelters, Hinde and Dauch, National Steel Car, Lake of the Woods and Foundation Co. Utilities, unlike Industrials, moved lower losing 0.8 for the week which almost offset the gain of the previous week. Practically all stocks included in this group were slightly lower. The index for twenty-three Utilities dropped from 60.2 for October 15 to 59.4 for October 22. For the corresponding week in 1935 this index was 46.3.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	Oct.22 1936	Oct.15 1936	Oct.24 1935	Oct.22 1936	Oct.15 1936	Oct.24 1935
	$	$	$			
Bathurst Power & Paper "A"	14.9	14.8	8.6	8,510	4,447	1,335
Brazilian	16.1	15.9	7.6	37,947	17,874	6,759
Building Products	49.6	49.1	28.6	2,382	1,393	1,965
Canada Cement	11.0	8.9	6.1	52,160	4,774	1,276
Canadian Pacific Railway	13.3	13.8	9.6	13,856	15,473	6,522
Consolidated Smelters	66.4	62.4	189.1 ✓	19,432	15,238	2,433
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	22.9	23.7	28.0	8,115	19,845	2,580
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	8.1	7.7	4.4	43,230	18,877	2,816
Fanny Farmer	19.3	18.7	10.1	7,740	1,425	7,424
Foundation Co.	24.7	22.9	10.9	4,985	1,210	245
Gypsum Lime & Alabastine	13.4	12.0	5.1	39,979	21,952	555
Howard Smith	17.1	16.3	10.0	18,335	5,903	900
Imperial Oil	22.7	22.3	20.5	16,939	20,614	8,101
International Nickel	62.2	62.1	31.4	28,276	27,987	16,490
International Petroleum	36.9	36.7	36.8	6,386	7,616	6,858
Lake of the Woods	35.6	33.7	10.6	4,825	3,100	1,040
McColl-Frontenac Oil	15.0	15.7	13.0	10,251	9,919	18,226
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	34.6	35.4	32.3	11,849	7,183	4,665
National Breweries	41.4	41.2	36.9	3,905	4,551	3,934
National Steel Car	25.7	23.7	13.3	5,010	1,321	125
Noranda	68.5	65.7	-	9,644	9,361	-
Shawinigan	24.9	25.0	18.4	10,446	8,927	5,906
Steel of Canada	70.0	69.6	52.6	2,394	954	3,916
Union Gas	14.1	13.0	7.6	9,379	3,245	4,555
Walkers	43.3	42.6	28.4	7,562	2,893	21,972
TOTAL SALES				383,537	236,082	130,598

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.
✓ Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, declined from 117.0 for the week ending October 16 to 116.8 for the week ending October 23. Reports from Montreal indicated a moderate volume of trading during the early part of the week but demand then lightened and a slightly easier tone prevailed. Recent activity in the stock market has been credited with diverting some interest from high grade bonds and turnover has suffered accordingly.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields rose from 66.3 to 66.9 during the week. The average yield of the six leading issues used in this index was 3.19 as compared with 3.16 for the preceding week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	96.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date	Prices	Yields
July 3	117.5	66.1
10	117.7	65.7
17	118.0	65.1
24	118.0	65.0
31	118.4	64.4
Aug. 7	118.8	63.7
14	119.2	63.0
21	119.2	63.1
28	119.1	63.2
Sept. 4	119.3	62.8
11	119.4	62.6
18	119.3	62.8
25	119.2	63.1
Oct. 2	118.2	64.3
9	117.8	65.1
16	117.0	66.3
23	116.8	66.9

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ≠
1926	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.3
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	87.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.2
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.3	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	73.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	133.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.0	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
September	200.6	137.9	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	384.4	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	125.2
Weekly Index Numbers														
October 24th, 1935	154.8	125.3	12.6	60.7	218.1	64.6	135.6	132.4	220.7	46.3	24.1	100.7	60.6	101.5
1936														
September 17th	199.6	136.2	18.8	91.0	222.2	70.8	162.9	135.9	378.1	54.0	30.6	114.6	68.5	123.8
September 24th	204.9	139.0	20.1	96.1	223.4	71.2	165.2	136.5	398.0	54.3	30.8	114.3	68.9	126.5
October 1st	205.2	141.0	21.7	99.0	225.7	71.2	166.5	132.1	395.3	55.2	30.3	114.3	71.2	127.1
October 8th	210.3	149.5	24.8	100.3	230.0	73.3	170.2	132.5	405.8	59.2	33.8	115.1	76.6	131.5
October 15th	213.8	151.7	24.6	100.4	236.7	73.7	171.2	133.6	409.1	60.2	34.6	115.7	77.8	133.7
October 22nd	216.0	151.2	25.7	103.5	239.3	73.6	173.2	133.3	413.7	59.4	33.3	115.4	77.2	134.4

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Recessions for common stocks during the week ending October 29, particularly on Monday, October 26, more than offset advances, although several groups displayed continued strength in the week under review, if Monday be excepted. Accordingly the general index for 112 common stocks was 133.7 for this week as compared with 134.4 for the preceding week and 103.5 for the week ending October 31, 1935. In the Industrial section, losses in four sub-groups were sufficient to cause the index to decline from 216.0 for the week of October 22 to 234.3 for the week of October 29. The comparative index for last year was 159.0. Losses occurred for International Nickel and Consolidated Smelters, which were mainly responsible for the drop in the Miscellaneous index. Twenty-three Utilities showed independent strength and the index advanced fractionally from 59.4 for October 22 to 59.7 for October 29. For the corresponding week last year, this index was 46.4.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Oct. 29 $	1936 Oct. 22 $	1935 Oct. 31 $	1936 Oct. 29	1936 Oct. 22	1935 Oct. 31
Bell Telephone	150.8	151.6	132.3	1,816	672	644
Brazilian	16.9	16.1	7.6	54,947	37,947	4,740
British American Oil	23.0	23.5	15.9	5,860	4,779	4,532
Canadian Car & Foundry	12.6	10.2	5.0	45,354	6,625	2,034
Canada Cement	11.6	11.0	6.1	18,041	52,160	1,106
Canadian Pacific Railway	13.2	13.3	9.4	17,690	13,856	6,778
Consolidated Smelters	65.5	66.4	191.3+	8,218	19,432	2,051
Dominion Bridge	48.5	48.7	31.0	2,558	1,873	1,569
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	8.3	8.1	4.8	26,638	43,230	9,246
Ford "A"	23.9	24.2	30.2	4,333	3,777	18,152
General Steel Wares	7.0	5.9	3.6	12,226	2,940	115
Gypsum Lime & Alabastine	12.9	13.4	5.2	9,326	39,979	1,555
Howard Smith	17.8	17.1	11.3	6,925	18,335	1,580
Imperial Oil	22.7	22.7	21.3	11,947	16,939	6,505
International Nickel	61.0	62.2	31.7	21,468	28,276	18,160
International Petroleum	36.8	36.9	37.5	7,849	6,386	5,300
Massey-Harris	5.7	4.9	4.9	33,520	3,860	4,026
McColl-Frontenac Oil	14.3	15.0	13.1	19,111	10,251	12,260
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	34.6	34.6	32.4	10,170	11,849	4,225
National Breweries	40.8	41.4	37.5	2,710	3,905	3,639
National Steel Car	28.1	25.7	13.7	5,317	5,010	170
Noranda	68.6	68.5	-	5,904	9,644	-
Shawinigan	25.1	24.9	18.8	6,827	10,446	5,906
Steel of Canada	70.2	70.0	52.5	1,265	2,394	1,084
Walkers	43.0	43.3	29.3	2,936	7,562	18,276
TOTAL SALES				342,956	362,127	133,653

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

+ Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, fell from 116.8 for the week ending October 23 to 116.6 for the week ending October 30. This completed the seventh successive week of decline and the level attained approximated that of the early part of June. Market lethargy observable at Montreal in the latter part of last week continued for several days and interest remained slight. Later a firmer tendency developed and the week closed with good demand and rising prices.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 66.9 to 67.2. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.20 as compared with 3.19 for the previous week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	-
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	-
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	93.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

DATE	PRICES	YIELDS
July 3	117.5	66.1
10	117.7	65.7
17	118.0	65.1
24	118.0	65.0
31	118.4	64.4
Aug. 7	118.8	63.7
14	119.2	63.0
21	119.2	63.1
28	119.1	63.2
Sept. 4	119.3	62.8
11	119.4	62.6
18	119.3	62.8
25	119.2	63.1
Oct. 2	118.2	64.3
9	117.8	65.1
16	117.0	66.3
23	116.8	66.9
30	116.6	67.2

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total /
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	87.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
September	200.6	137.9	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	384.4	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	125.2
Weekly Index Numbers														
October 31st, 1935	159.0	128.6	13.5	61.9	226.7	66.2	137.8	140.4	222.8	46.4	23.6	101.0	61.2	103.5
1936														
October 1st	205.2	141.0	21.7	99.0	225.7	71.2	166.5	132.1	395.3	55.2	30.3	114.3	71.2	127.1
October 8th	210.3	149.5	24.8	100.3	230.0	73.3	170.2	132.5	405.8	59.2	33.8	115.1	76.6	131.5
October 15th	213.8	151.7	24.6	100.4	236.7	73.7	171.2	133.6	409.1	60.2	34.6	115.7	77.8	133.7
October 22nd	216.0	151.2	25.7	103.5	239.3	73.6	173.2	133.3	413.7	59.4	33.3	115.4	77.2	134.4
October 29th	214.3	153.4	24.9	103.7	238.6	74.5	174.1	132.1	406.9	59.7	33.1	114.8	78.2	133.7

x Weekly figures. / Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Common stock prices at Montreal turned irregular on Friday afternoon, October 30 and most of the gains recorded in the morning were lost while Industrials at Toronto registered an advance on fairly heavy trading. On the following day prices moved narrowly. The price trend was generally upward on Monday and Tuesday. With the United States election in the background, trading volume increased sharply on Wednesday with prices on both exchanges ruling higher. Prices were easier on Thursday due to profit-taking although volume was maintained at a high level. Accordingly the general index reached 136.8 for the week of November 5 as compared with 133.7 for the previous week. This is the maximum recorded since July 1930. The comparative index for last year was 106.7. Eighty-nine Industrials gained 4.3 points with six sub-groups higher, Pulp and Paper unchanged and Oils fractionally lower. This index was 218.6 for the week ending November 5 as compared with 214.3 for the week of October 29 and 163.7 for the week of November 7, 1935. The feature traders in this group were Consolidated Smelters, International Nickel, and United Steel while notable gains also occurred for Laura Secord, Building Products, Dominion Bridge, Dominion Glass, Ogilvie and Canadian Bronze. Twenty-three Utilities continued higher for the third consecutive week and the index advanced from 59.7 for October 29 to 61.8 for November 5. For the corresponding week last year this index was 48.2. In this section all sub-groups moved forward with Power and Traction leading.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Nov. 5	1936 Oct. 29	1935 Nov. 7	1936 Nov. 5	1936 Oct. 29	1935 Nov. 7
	$	$	$			
Bell Telephone	150.9	150.8	134.0	1,423	1,816	514
Brazilian	17.8	16.9	8.1	69,416	54,947	27,486
B.A. Oil	22.9	23.0	16.1	12,248	5,860	11,532
Canadian Car and Foundry	13.6	12.6	5.5	20,380	45,354	2,470
Canada Cement	12.4	11.6	6.5	14,525	18,041	5,520
Canadian Pacific Railway	13.9	13.2	9.5	28,725	17,690	9,639
Consolidated Smelters	71.2	65.5	190.5[x]	35,899	8,218	1,117
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	23.3	22.7	33.7	7,710	2,917	4,501
Dominion Bridge	50.9	48.5	32.4	5,339	2,558	3,585
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	8.8	8.3	5.0	24,973	26,638	5,409
Ford "A"	25.1	23.9	28.5	11,840	4,333	14,700
Gypsum, Lime & Alabastine	13.4	12.9	5.7	9,965	9,326	5,660
Imperial Oil	22.8	22.7	21.8	20,692	11,947	9,692
International Nickel	63.1	61.0	33.2	56,440	21,468	69,897
International Petroleum	36.4	36.8	38.4	8,510	7,849	8,949
McColl-Frontenac Oil	14.3	14.3	13.0	18,217	19,111	5,477
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	34.7	34.6	34.4	17,345	10,170	20,490
National Breweries	40.4	40.8	38.5	4,058	2,710	6,741
National Steel Car	29.0	28.1	14.0	4,840	5,317	540
Noranda	71.0	68.6	-	13,376	5,904	-
Power Corporation	18.3	17.0	10.7	7,258	1,641	10,795
Shawinigan	27.6	25.1	20.1	9,788	6,827	16,375
Steel of Canada	71.0	70.2	53.6	2,828	1,265	2,401
United Steel	6.0	5.1	3.2	35,557	4,355	1,800
Walkers	44.4	43.0	30.6	5,989	2,936	14,183
TOTAL SALES				447,341	299,198	259,473

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.
Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-
erm bond prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 116.6 for the week ending October 30
o 117.2 for the week ending November 6. Institutional buying was credited with in-
luencing the sharp rise on the Montreal market at the end of last week but the rally
as short-lived and early in this week the high grade section settled back into a dull
nd featureless condition.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 67.2 to
5.8. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.14 as compared with 3.20
or the preceding week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
bruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
rch	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
ril	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
y	105.3	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
ne	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
ly	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
gust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
ptember	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
tober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1
vember	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
cember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
bruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
rch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
ril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
y	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
ne	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
ly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
gust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
ptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
tober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2
vember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
cember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
Aug.	7	118.8	63.7
	14	119.2	63.0
	21	119.2	63.1
	28	119.1	63.2
Sept.	4	119.3	62.8
	11	119.4	62.6
	18	119.3	62.8
	25	119.2	63.1
Oct.	2	118.2	64.3
	9	117.8	65.1
	16	117.0	66.3
	23	116.8	66.9
	30	116.6	67.2
Nov.	6	117.2	65.8

Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS
1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 9	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	Grand Total ≠ 112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1932 - High	79.7	81.3	10.7	66.6	118.6	45.3	96.9	51.4	98.0	63.9	52.7	88.4	80.2	66.5
Low	49.3	39.8	2.8	38.5	87.6	28.0	72.1	28.5	42.0	33.1	22.7	58.0	41.1	40.9
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	6[illegible].9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
October	152.9	123.0	12.6	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	217.5	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	100.0
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
September	200.6	137.9	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	384.4	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	125.2
October	212.3	151.9	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	409.5	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	133.4
Weekly Index Numbers														
November 7th, 1935	163.7	128.6	13.7	64.6	231.8	69.4	143.2	149.3	230.6	48.2	23.8	102.4	65.0	106.7
1936														
October 15th	213.8	151.7	24.6	100.4	236.7	73.7	171.2	133.6	409.0	60.2	34.6	115.7	77.8	133.7
October 22nd	216.0	151.2	25.7	103.5	239.3	73.6	173.2	133.3	413.7	59.4	33.3	115.4	77.2	134.4
October 29th	214.3	153.4	24.9	103.7	238.6	74.5	174.1	132.1	406.9	59.7	33.1	114.8	78.2	133.7
November 5th	218.6	159.2	24.9	103.9	238.0	74.7	175.2	133.7	425.1	61.8	34.8	114.9	81.2	136.8

x Weekly figures. ≠ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
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A broadening trend was evident for common stocks with Beverages and Food and Allied Products holding the feature positions during the week ending November 12. Profit-taking was easily absorbed as volume continued at a high level. The general index for 12 common stocks mounted from 136.8 for the week ending November 5 to 139.4 for the week ending November 12. The comparative index for last year was 108.7. Industrials forged ahead with all sub-groups registering gains. The Industrial index advanced from 218.6 for last week to 223.0 for the week of November 12. For the week of November 14, 1935, this index was 168.3. Outstanding gains were shown for Consolidated Smelters, Canadian Cottons, National Steel Car, Ogilvie, Page-Hersey, Canadian Bronze, Fanny Farmer and Simpsons "A". Utilities were less active than Industrials but the index moved forward from 61.8 for November 5 to 62.7 for November 12. For the corresponding week last year, the index was 49.6.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS.[x]

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Nov.12	1936 Nov.5	1935 Nov.14	1936 Nov.12	1936 Nov.5	1935 Nov.14
	$	$	$			
Abitibi Power & Paper	16.3	14.4	8.9	42,659	2,530	986
Bell Telephone	152.2	150.9	135.9	1,2[illegible]	1,423	833
Brazilian	18.1	17.8	8.6	60,026	69,416	14,002
British American Oil	23.0	22.9	16.2	14,527	12,248	5,481
Canadian Car and Foundry	14.4	13.6	5.3	17,145	20,380	1,405
Canada Cement	13.2	12.4	6.5	9,892	14,525	1,317
Canadian Industrial Alcohol "A"	7.9	7.0	11.0	47,630	13,470	51,713
Canadian Pacific Railway	14.2	13.9	10.2	23,255	28,725	24,677
Consolidated Smelters	75.9	71.2	193.8[illegible]	25,833	35,899	2,063
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	25.2	23.3	34.5	19,100	7,710	8,112
Fanny Farmer	22.6	19.9	12.1	17,270	4,890	6,489
Ford "A"	25.4	25.1	27.5	15,8[illegible]	11,840	9,696
Gypsum,Lime and Alabastine	14.2	13.4	6.3	20,597	9,965	12,542
Imperial Oil	23.1	22.8	21.7	20,878	20,693	10,510
Imperial Tobacco	14.0	14.0	13.3	13,122	[illegible]343	3,484
International Nickel	64.3	63.1	36.3	30,462	56,440	81,448
International Petroleum	36.7	36.4	37.4	9,382	8,510	7,954
Montreal Light, Heat and Power	35.3	34.7	34.7	14,758	17,[illegible]45	4,384
National Breweries	40.7	40.4	38.6	4,153	4,058	1,775
National Steel Car	33.6	29.0	14.0	7,090	4,840	360
Ogilvie	73.1	71.0	-	9,262	13,376	-
Shawinigan	27.9	27.6	21.0	6,034	9,788	9,789
Steel of Canada	71.6	71.0	53.1	2,49[illegible]	2,828	972
Walkers	46.5	44.4	30.9	9,696	5,989	18,492
Wilton	20.1	19.2	15.0	10,277	5,720	651
TOTAL SALES				452,662	387,951	279,135

[x] As known by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term ond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 117.2 for the week ending November 6 to .7.3 for the week ending November 13. At Montreal, prices remained firm throughout, ile the turnover which at first was of moderate proportion declined still further as e week progressed.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields fell from 65.8 to 65.4. e average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.13 as compared with 3.14 for e previous week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
bruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
rch	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
ril	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
y	105.3	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
ne	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
ly	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
gust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
ptember	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
tober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1
vember	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
cember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
bruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
rch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
ril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
y	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
ne	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
ly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
gust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
ptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
ober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2
ember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
ember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
Aug.	7	118.8	63.7
	14	119.2	63.0
	21	119.2	63.1
	28	119.1	63.2
Sept.	4	119.3	62.8
	11	119.4	62.6
	18	119.3	62.8
	25	119.2	63.1
Oct.	2	118.2	64.3
	9	117.8	65.1
	16	117.0	66.3
	23	116.8	66.9
	30	116.6	67.2
Nov.	6	117.2	65.8
	13	117.3	65.4

[x] Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 9	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	Grand Total ✓ 112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
October	152.9	123.0	12.6	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	217.5	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	100.0
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
September	200.6	137.9	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	384.4	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	125.2
October	212.3	151.9	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	409.5	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	133.4
Weekly Index Numbers														
November 14th, 1935	168.3	126.9	14.0	66.4	230.9	68.7	144.4	152.9	247.2	49.6	25.6	103.7	66.0	108.7
1936														
October 15th	213.8	151.7	24.6	100.4	236.7	73.7	171.2	133.6	409.0	60.2	34.6	115.7	77.8	133.7
October 22nd	216.0	151.2	25.7	103.5	239.3	73.6	173.2	133.3	413.7	59.4	33.3	115.4	77.2	134.4
October 29th	214.3	153.4	24.9	103.7	238.6	74.5	174.1	132.1	406.9	59.7	33.1	114.8	78.2	133.7
November 5th	218.6	159.2	24.9	103.9	238.0	74.7	175.2	133.7	425.1	61.8	34.8	114.9	81.2	136.8
November 12th	223.0	162.0	26.5	105.9	240.5	75.2	179.3	139.2	436.4	62.7	35.6	115.9	82.3	139.4

x Weekly figures. ✓ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926 = 100)

Common stocks featured by strength and activity in heavy industry issues aged another advance for the week of November 19, accompanied by the largest trading lume in recent years. The fairly general advance for the three days beginning vember 16 was more than sufficient to offset the irregularly lower trends displayed Friday and Saturday, November 13 and 14, and the general decline on the final day of e index week, i.e. November 19. The index for 112 common stocks was 140.9 for the ek ending November 19 as compared with 139.4 for the previous week and 111.9 for vember 21, 1935. Industrials registered a substantial gain for the third consecutive ek, mounting from 223.0 for November 12 to 226.1 for November 19. The comparative lex for last year was 172.3. All sub-groups in this section were higher with Iron and el, Miscellaneous and Foods leading the advance. The feature traders were Canadian r and Foundry, Dominion Steel and Coal "B", Massey-Harris, National Steel Car and ited Steel. Other industrial stocks to attract attention were Simpsons' "A", Page-rsey, Western Grocers, Dominion Bridge and Consolidated Smelters. Twenty-three ilities were fractionally lower due to losses in the Power and Traction sub-group. Utilities index moved downward from 62.7 for November 12 to 62.6 for the following ek. For the corresponding week in 1935 this index was 52.2

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS*

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Nov.19 $	1936 Nov. 12 $	1935 Nov. 21 $	1936 Nov. 19	1936 Nov. 12	1935 Nov. 21
el Telephone	153.9	152.2	138.7	1,791	1,272	857
izilian	18.0	18.1	9.8	45,808	60,026	112,559
itish American Oil	23.5	23.0	16.2	12,447	14,527	10,319
adian Car and Foundry	17.5	14.4	6.1	77,118	17,145	4,847
ada Cement	13.8	13.2	6.5	21,309	9,892	3,185
adian Pacific Railway	14.3	14.2	11.7	21,247	23,255	57,087
solidated Smelters	78.1	75.9	197.8#	19,121	25,833	3,426
itillers Corp.-Seagrams	27.4	25.2	37.0	29,415	19,100	12,028
inion Bridge	54.1	51.6	31.6	3,825	1,659	2,041
inion Steel and Coal "B"	9.6	8.7	4.9	48,293	9,523	7,314
ny Farmer	23.6	22.6	12.9	9,245	17,270	12,197
d "A"	25.1	25.4	27.1	12,048	15,843	16,202
erial Oil	23.2	23.1	21.5	13,204	20,878	6,084
ernational Nickel	64.8	64.3	38.5	40,943	30,462	60,594
ernational Petroleum	37.6	36.7	37.8	9,513	9,383	5,358
sey-Harris	7.2	5.8	6.8	124,917	4,096	90,593
coll-Frontenac Oil	14.2	14.8	12.7	12,980	6,472	3,025
treal Light, Heat and Power	34.8	35.3	35.7	7,588	14,758	12,194
ional Breweries	41.3	40.7	39.3	4,097	4,153	5,657
ional Steel Car	38.3	33.6	14.5	15,603	7,090	3,097
anda	74.0	73.1	-	6,751	9,262	-
winigan	27.1	27.9	21.9	6,670	6,034	12,544
el of Canada	72.3	71.6	53.1	4,654	2,498	1,980
ted Steel	8.1	6.5	3.6	99,831	13,785	2,235
cers	48.4	46.5	33.0	9,402	9,696	26,255
AL SALES				657,820	353,912	471,678

*As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

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INDEX NUMBER OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926 - 100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926-100, advanced from 117.3 for the week ending November 13 to 117.8 for the week ending November 20. A firm tone prevailed at Montreal and a moderate improvement in the volume of transactions was reported.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 65.4 to 64.8. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.08 as compared with 3.13 for the preceding week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A. E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

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(From data issued by A. E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS* 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
Aug.	7	118.8	63.7
	14	119.2	63.0
	21	119.2	63.1
	28	119.1	63.2
Sept.	4	119.3	62.8
	11	119.4	62.6
	18	119.3	62.8
	25	119.2	63.1
Oct.	2	118.2	64.3
	9	117.8	65.1
	16	117.0	66.3
	23	116.8	66.9
	30	116.6	67.2
Nov.	6	117.2	65.8
	13	117.3	65.4
	20	117.8	64.8

*Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926=100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

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1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	127.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.4	28.1	83.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
October	152.9	123.0	12.6	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	217.5	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	100.0
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
September	200.6	137.9	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	384.4	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	125.2
October	212.3	151.9	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	409.5	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	133.4
Weekly Index Numbers														
November 21st, 1935	172.3	127.5	15.2	67.7	228.9	68.4	146.5	163.0	259.8	52.2	29.3	105.9	67.6	111.9
1936														
October 22nd	216.0	151.2	25.7	103.5	239.3	73.6	173.2	133.3	413.7	59.4	33.3	115.4	77.2	134.4
October 29th	214.3	153.4	24.9	103.7	238.6	74.5	174.1	132.1	406.9	59.7	33.1	114.8	78.2	133.7
November 5th	218.6	159.2	24.9	103.9	238.0	74.7	175.2	133.7	425.1	61.8	34.8	114.9	81.2	136.8
November 12th	223.0	162.0	26.5	105.9	240.5	75.2	179.3	139.2	436.4	62.7	35.6	115.9	82.3	139.4
November 19th	226.1	169.5	26.6	108.1	243.8	75.6	182.9	140.7	441.3	62.6	35.9	117.1	81.5	140.9

x Weekly figures. / Banks not included.

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(Issued November 28, 1936.)

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Trading in industrials and utilities assumed a more cautious tone during the past week. At the opening, prices were firm; but heavy selling pressure developed on Monday with quotations off several points in many cases. Spasmodic rallies occurred during the balance of the week, but the general index for 112 common stocks was 136.0 as compared with 140.8 for the preceding week, ended November 19, and 112.0 for the same week last year.

The industrial section lost considerable ground, the index falling from 226.3 for the week of November 19 to 217.7 for the week of November 26. For the corresponding period of 1935, the index was 173.2. Oil stocks bore the brunt of the selling with the heavy industries and miscellaneous stocks running a close second. In contrast, newsprint and milling issues staged a moderate advance, and indexes for both these groups were higher. Such market leaders as British American Oil, Imperial Oil, Dominion Textile, Laura Secord, Walkers, Consolidated Smelters and International Nickel were off substantially.

Utilities followed in the wake of the industrials and the index was lower at 61.1 for the week of November 26 as compared with 62.6 last week and 52.4 for the same week last year.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Nov.26	1936 Nov.19	1935 Nov.28	1936 Nov.26	1936 Nov.19	1935 Nov.28
Abitibi	$ 4.2	$ 3.5	$ 1.4	71,889	6,425	5,185
Bathurst Power & Paper "A"	17.4	16.3	9.7	36,235	8,675	1,235
Bell Telephone	156.1	153.9	139.9	1,600	1,791	1,009
Brazilian	17.3	18.0	10.1	41,857	45,808	58,784
British American Oil	21.0	23.5	16.0	32,091	12,447	5,289
Canadian Car & Foundry	17.9	17.5	6.0	36,518	77,118	2,782
Canadian Pacific Railway	13.5	14.3	11.9	16,481	21,247	17,917
Consolidated Mining & Smelting	76.4	78.1	202.3 ✓	9,108	19,121	4,414
Distillers Corp.-Seagrams	26.4	27.4	36.3	9,965	29,415	4,940
Dominion Bridge	54.4	54.1	31.3	4,428	3,825	977
Dominion Steel and Coal "B"	9.5	9.6	5.1	25,630	48,293	4,850
Fanny Farmer	22.5	23.6	12.6	7,361	9,245	4,209
Ford "A"	23.2	25.1	26.9	5,713	12,048	4,710
Howard Smith	17.8	16.5	12.4	10,505	1,962	2,099
Imperial Oil	21.6	23.2	21.0	32,903	13,204	6,354
International Nickel	62.8	64.8	40.0	31,206	40,943	103,640
International Petroleum	36.2	37.6	37.0	14,590	9,513	1,971
Montreal Light, Heat and Power	34.2	34.8	35.4	9,756	7,888	17,516
National Breweries	41.4	41.3	39.0	4,550	4,097	4,825
National Steel Car	38.6	38.3	15.0	9,505	15,603	645
Noranda	73.1	74.0	-	3,704	6,751	-
Pantepec Oil	7.5	6.6	3.1	24,755	24,700	120
St.Lawrence Corporation	6.2	5.1	1.8	21,108	12,970	1,635
United Steel	7.8	8.1	3.6	29,658	99,831	655
Walkers	46.9	48.4	32.0	5,502	9,402	6,127
TOTAL SALES				496,618	542,022	261,888

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.
✓ Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBER OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928 - 1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term ond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 117.8 for the week ending November 20 o 117.9 for the week ending November 27. Montreal advices indicated a softening in one toward midweek with firmness developing on better demand at the close.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 64.8 to 4.6. The average yield of the six leading issues used in this index was 3.07 as com-ared with 3.08 for the preceding week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
bruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
rch	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
ril	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
y	105.3	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
ne	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
ly	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
gust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
ptember	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
tober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1
vember	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	-
cember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
bruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
rch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
ril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
y	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
ne	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
ly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
gust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
ptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
tober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2
vember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	-
cember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date		Prices	Yields
Aug.	7	118.8	63.7
	14	119.2	63.0
	21	119.2	63.1
	28	119.1	63.2
Sept.	4	119.3	62.8
	11	119.4	62.6
	18	119.3	62.8
	25	119.2	63.1
Oct.	2	118.2	64.3
	9	117.8	65.1
	16	117.0	66.3
	23	116.8	66.9
	30	116.6	67.2
Nov.	6	117.2	65.8
	13	117.3	65.4
	20	117.8	64.8
	27	117.9	64.6

Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 9	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	Grand Total 112 ✓
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
October	152.9	123.0	12.6	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	217.5	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	100.0
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	328.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
September	200.3	137.9	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	384.4	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	125.2
October	212.3	151.9	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	409.5	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	133.4
Weekly Index Numbers														
November 28th, 1935	173.2	126.7	15.8	69.1	223.8	69.7	147.5	159.9	268.6	52.4	29.8	106.7	67.3	112.0
1936														
November 5th	218.6	159.2	24.9	103.9	238.0	74.7	175.2	133.7	425.1	61.8	34.8	114.9	81.2	136.8
November 12th	223.0	162.0	26.5	105.9	240.5	75.2	179.3	139.2	436.4	62.7	35.6	115.9	82.3	139.4
November 19th	226.1	168.9	26.6	108.1	243.8	75.6	182.9	140.7	441.3	62.6	35.9	117.1	81.5	140.9
November 26th	217.7	164.5	28.7	109.9	230.0	73.9	179.3	138.1	428.8	61.1	33.8	118.8	80.0	136.0

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Declines on Canadian exchanges were prominent during the week. Selected issues ere strong but were insufficient to change the downward drift of the general list. or the second successive week, the general index was lower, declining from 136.0 for the eek ending November 26 to 133.2 for the week of December 3. The comparative index for ast year was 111.4.

Although five of the eight sub-groups in the industrial section were higher, e index dropped from 217.7 for November 26 to 211.9 for December 3, influenced chiefly Oils and International Nickel in the Miscellaneous sub-group. Notable losses occurred or International Petroleum and Imperial Oil. Beverages and Steel issues continued to in ground and stocks in the Iron and Steel sub-group to attract attention were National eel Car, up $9.80 for the week, Dominion Bridge, Steel of Canada and United Steel.

Twenty-three Utilities registered a fractional loss for the week of December 3, e mainly to a slight decline in C.P.R. The index was 61.0 as compared with 61.1 for the evious week and 50.9 for the corresponding week last year. In this group, Power and action remained unchanged while Bell Telephone made another moderate advance.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERSx

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Dec.3	1936 Nov.26	1935 Dec.5	1936 Dec.3	1936 Nov.26	1935 Dec.5
	$	$	$			
thurst Power and Paper "A"	17.9	17.4	9.2	25,709	36,235	830
ell Telephone	158.0	156.1	142.2	2,106	1,600	737
azilian	17.6	17.3	10.0	55,474	41,857	25,173
itish American Oil	20.6	21.0	16.0	23,343	32,091	5,304
nadian Car and Foundry	18.8	17.9	6.2	31,526	36,518	2,809
nadian Wallpaper "B"	31.6	30.4	-	7,061	275	-
nsolidated Mining and Smelting	76.3	76.4	213.5 +	5,345	9,108	3,922
stillers Corp.-Seagrams	26.5	26.4	37.5	8,420	9,965	2,815
minion Bridge	57.0	54.4	32.5	5,835	4,428	2,769
minion Steel and Coal "B"	10.1	9.5	4.8	21,605	25,630	2,701
undation Company	25.5	22.8	13.5	7,485	925	135
nny Farmer	23.9	22.5	12.8	15,419	7,361	2,662
psum Lime and Alabastine	13.5	12.2	6.8	21,805	5,405	4,171
ward Smith	19.0	17.8	12.1	7,876	10,505	1,288
perial Oil	20.4	21.6	20.1	25,072	32,903	8,095
ternational Nickel	61.4	62.8	42.9	33,492	31,206	126,207
ternational Petroleum	33.8	36.2	35.3	11,625	14,590	6,429
ke of the Woods	36.1	34.4	13.6	4,480	1,035	1,267
Coll Frontenac Oil	13.1	14.0	12.6	12,889	7,625	1,337
ntreal Light,Heat and Power	33.9	34.2	32.4	8,376	9,756	18,057
tional Steel Car	48.4	38.6	14.9	22,776	9,505	410
randa	71.3	73.1	46.0	4,675	3,704	8,839
wer Corporation	20.8	18.8	11.0	13,507	5,338	745
ited Steel	8.6	7.8	3.5	32,126	29,658	565
lkers	46.9	46.9	32.0	3,674	5,502	4,597
TOTAL SALES				411,701	372,725	231,864

As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.
Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBER OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928 - 1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, was unchanged at 117.9 for the week ending December 4. A good demand with firmer prices was reported by Montreal in the early days of the week but later a sharp break on the London market was reflected to some slight extent in Canadian issues and prices eased fractionally.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields remained at 64.6. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.06.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
September	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	120.2	117.1
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
anuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
ebruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
arch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
pril	90.3	100.9	99.3	[illegible]	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
ay	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	[illegible]	81.8	71.4	68.8
ne	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
ly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
gust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
ptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
tober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2
vember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1
cember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS* 1936.

Date			Prices	Yields
Sept.	4	.....	119.3	62.8
	11	.....	119.4	62.6
	18	.....	119.3	62.8
	25	.....	119.2	63.1
Oct.	2	.....	118.2	64.3
	9	.....	117.8	65.1
	16	.....	117.0	66.3
	23	.....	116.8	66.9
	30	.....	116.6	67.2
Nov.	6	.....	117.2	65.8
	13	.....	117.3	65.4
	20	.....	117.8	64.8
	27	.....	117.9	64.6
Dec.	4	.....	117.9	64.6

* Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926=100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total ≠
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
October	152.9	123.0	12.6	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	217.5	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	100.0
November	170.3	127.8	14.6	66.9	228.7	69.0	145.7	157.3	254.4	50.9	27.9	105.1	66.1	110.4
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
September	200.6	137.9	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	384.4	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	125.2
October	212.3	151.9	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	409.5	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	133.4
Weekly Index Numbers														
December 5th, 1935	175.6	124.6	15.0	75.4	215.0	69.4	147.9	161.7	285.8	50.9	29.3	108.4	63.8	111.4
1936														
November 5th	218.6	159.2	24.9	103.9	238.0	74.7	175.2	133.7	425.1	61.8	34.8	114.9	81.2	136.8
November 12th	223.0	162.0	26.5	105.9	240.5	75.2	179.3	139.2	436.4	62.7	35.6	115.9	82.3	139.4
November 19th	226.1	168.9	26.6	108.1	243.8	75.6	182.9	140.7	441.3	62.6	35.9	117.1	81.5	140.8
November 26th	217.7	164.5	28.7	109.9	230.0	73.9	179.3	138.1	428.8	61.1	33.8	118.8	80.0	136.0
December 3rd	211.9	168.7	29.7	110.6	216.5	73.0	180.2	142.7	422.4	61.0	33.3	120.2	80.0	133.2

x Weekly figures. ≠ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Common stocks staged a slight rally on Tuesday, December, 8, and on the follow- ; Thursday prices advanced briskly in heavier trading. Although prices moved irregular- lower for the remaining days of the week, declines were not sufficient to counter- ance gains. Accordingly, the general index moved fractionally higher from 133.2 for week of December 3 to 133.4 for the week of December 10. The comparative index for t year was 113.3. In the Industrial section, Oils were the outstanding feature, ing up 3.5 points and causing the industrial index to advance from 211.9 for December o 212.7 for December 10. Textiles also gained a fraction while all other sub-groups eded. Gains occurred for National Steel Car, Penmans', Hunts "A", Laura Secord and adian Bronze while losses were shown for Dominion Bridge, Dominion Glass, Ogilvie, ion & Sons and Moore. For the corresponding week in 1935, the industrial index was .5. Twenty-three Utilities showed a recession for the fourth successive week when index declined from 61.0 for the week ending December 3 to 60.7 for the week of ember 10. For the week ending December 12, 1935, this index was 50.5.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Dec.10	1936 Dec.3	1935 Dec.12	1936 Dec.10	1936 Dec.3	1935 Dec.12
	$	$	$			
l Telephone	158.6	158.0	143.5	1,242	2,106	712
zilian	17.7	17.6	10.0	37,106	55,474	21,213
tish American Oil	22.0	20.6	15.9	13,[illegible]	23,343	4,349
adian Car and Foundry	17.8	18.8	6.8	13,831	31,526	4,415
ada Cement	12.9	13.6	6.6	7,662	10,637	2,765
adian Pacific Railway	13.2	13.3	11.8	9,603	10,324	10,689
solidated Mining and elting	74.9	76.3	215.3*	5,650	5,345	6,024
tillers Corp-Seagrams	25.9	26.5	38.3	5,010	8,420	11,144
inion Steel and Coal "B"	10.0	10.1	4.5	10,295	21,605	3,468
ny Farmer	23.5	23.9	13.3	5,076	15,419	7,672
d "A"	22.1	22.6	26.0	4,152	6,227	4,098
sum, Lime and Alabastine	14.3	13.5	6.5	16,310	21,805	2,195
linger	13.7	13.3	14.7	7,747	3,562	2,815
erial Oil	20.6	20.4	20.2	11,814	25,072	8,305
ernational Nickel	61.7	61.4	45.7	25,756	33,492	213,479
ernational Petroleum	34.4	33.8	35.7	10,102	11,625	7,575
e of the Woods	36.3	36.1	13.8	3,805	4,480	325
treal Light, Heat and Power	33.2	33.9	31.8	6,576	8,376	9,188
ional Breweries	41.9	41.6	39.7	2,577	3,024	4,092
ional Steel Car	50.8	48.4	15.0	10,187	22,776	275
anda	70.6	71.3	46.8	4,031	4,675	17,048
winigan	25.6	25.5	19.8	3,566	5,273	4,879
el of Canada	73.3	73.0	54.7	1,672	1,443	3,381
on Gas	13.5	13.5	8.2	9,435	3,873	3,411
kers	47.0	46.9	33.2	4,088	3,674	7,697
TOTAL SALES				2[illegible],585	343,576	361,214

As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

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INDEX NUMBER OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The tense situation created by recent developments in the United Kingdom was reflected in less active trading of high grade bond issues, although prices were well maintained. As events more definitely pointed the final outcome confidence returned and by the end of the week substantial gains were registered by the majority of high grades. The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 117.9 for the week ending December 4 to 118.0 for the week ending December 11. The index for yields compiled from the same issues declined from 64.6 to 64.5 and the average of the yields was 3.06 for the week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.[illegible]	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
September.....	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July	94.[illegible]	104.0	98.[illegible]	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
September	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS: 1936

Date		Prices	Yields
Sept.	4	119.3	62.8
	11	119.4	62.6
	18	119.3	62.8
	25	119.2	63.1
Oct.	2	118.2	64.3
	9	117.8	65.1
	16	117.0	66.3
	23	116.8	66.9
	30	116.6	67.2
Nov.	6	117.2	65.8
	13	117.3	65.4
	20	117.8	64.8
	27	117.9	64.6
Dec.	4	117.9	64.6
	11	118.0	64.5

: Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926=100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Grand Total +
1936	89	15	6	5	5	11	18	9	20	23	2	2	19	112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.5	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
October	152.9	123.0	12.6	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	217.5	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	100.0
November	170.3	127.8	14.6	66.9	228.7	69.0	145.7	157.3	254.4	50.9	27.9	105.1	66.1	110.4
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
September	200.6	137.9	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	384.4	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	125.2
October	212.3	151.9	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	409.5	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	133.4
November	219.9	166.9	27.5	107.0	233.4	74.4	179.6	143.6	432.3	62.4	34.6	116.5	81.8	138.4
Weekly Index Numbers														
December 12th, 1935	180.5	126.3	15.5	75.0	215.8	70.5	148.5	165.4	300.5	50.5	29.6	109.4	62.5	113.3
1936														
November 19th	226.1	168.9	26.6	108.1	243.8	75.6	182.9	140.7	441.3	62.6	35.9	117.1	81.5	140.8
November 26th	217.7	164.5	28.7	109.9	230.0	73.9	179.3	138.1	428.8	61.1	33.8	118.8	80.0	136.0
December 3rd	211.9	168.7	29.7	110.6	216.5	73.0	180.2	142.7	422.4	61.0	33.3	120.2	80.0	133.2
December 10th	212.7	165.8	28.7	110.1	220.0	73.5	178.2	141.5	422.1	60.7	33.1	120.6	79.4	133.4

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Common stocks displayed noticeable strength during the week ending December 17 with interlisted leaders generally heading the advance. The general index for 112 common stocks showed a gain of 2.1 points which almost offset recessions of the past three weeks. This index was 135.5 for December 17 as compared with 133.4 for the preceding week and 110.8 for the same period of 1935. In the Industrial section all sub-groups, Oils excepted, were higher and the index mounted from 212.7 for the week of December 10 to 216.0 for the week of December 17. The comparative index for 1935 was 176.1. Heavy industry issues and foods led the rise in Industrials, appreciable gains occurring for Lake of the Woods, B.C. Packers, National Steel Car, Canadian Bronze, Steel of Canada, Consolidated Smelters, and Dominion Bridge. Twenty-three Utilities rose from 60.7 for December 10 to 61.6 for December 17. For the corresponding week last year this index was 49.4. Feature traders in this group were Bell Telephone, International Utilities "A & B" and Winnipeg Electric "A & B".

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Dec.17 $	1936 Dec.10 $	1935 Dec.19 $	1936 Dec.17	1936 Dec.10	1935 Dec.19
athurst Power and Paper	17.0	16.6	10.6	7,267	3,207	4,110
ell Telephone	159.8	158.6	141.2	1,838	1,242	631
razilian	18.1	17.7	9.7	27,628	37,106	9,001
ritish American Oil	22.8	22.0	16.0	6,764	13,292	4,231
anadian Car and Foundry	18.9	17.8	6.4	19,010	13,831	1,016
anadian Industrial Alcohol "A"	7.2	7.3	11.3	21,468	8,816	6,056
anadian Pacific Railway	13.4	13.2	11.1	6,306	9,603	8,327
onsolidated Mining and Smelting	78.8	74.9	206.1 /	14,105	5,650	1,752
istillers Corp.-Seagrams	27.0	25.9	35.6	20,875	5,010	3,533
ominion Bridge	56.5	54.1	32.1	2,761	1,303	1,940
ominion Steel and Coal "B"	11.5	10.0	4.4	24,737	10,295	826
ominion Stores	12.0	11.0	8.8	11,375	1,841	935
ord "A"	22.0	22.1	25.5	4,436	4,152	1,762
mperial Oil	20.4	20.6	20.4	11,280	11,814	3,538
nternational Nickel	63.3	61.7	43.2	14,377	25,756	65,151
nternational Petroleum	34.6	34.4	35.2	4,095	10,102	2,450
ake of the Woods	43.3	36.3	14.8	10,974	3,805	3,985
ontreal Light, Heat and Power	33.5	33.2	32.0	6,264	6,576	6,255
ational Steel Car	56.7	50.8	13.7	9,982	10,187	450
randa	73.4	70.6	44.1	5,194	4,031	5,118
untapec Oil	8.1	8.2	3.6	17,635	8,200	2,020
ower Corporation	21.1	20.3	11.0	5,560	2,621	493
teel of Canada	77.4	73.3	55.9	1,431	1,672	3,242
ation Gas	15.3	13.5	8.1	10,263	9,435	1,276
ilkers	48.9	47.0	31.5	10,310	4,088	1,949
TOTAL SALES				275,935	213,635	140,047

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

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INDEX NUMBER OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term nd prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 118.0 for the week ending December 11 to 8.5 for the week ending December 18. Early firmness gave way, however, on the 15th, a mild reaction in which many of the long-terms dropped 15 to 35 cents. Wednesday w some of this loss recovered and a quieter and rather irregular tone prevailed for e balance of the week.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields fell from 64.5 to 63.6. e average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.02 as compared with 3.06 for e previous week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
bruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
rch	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
ril	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
y	105.3	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
ne	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
y	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
gust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
ptember	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
ober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1
vember	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6
cember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
bruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
rch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
ril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
y	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
ne	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
y	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
ust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
tember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
ober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2
tember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1
cember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date	Prices	Yields
Sept. 4	119.3	62.8
11	119.4	62.6
18	119.3	62.8
25	119.2	63.1
Oct. 2	118.2	64.3
9	117.8	65.1
16	117.0	66.3
23	116.8	66.9
30	116.6	67.2
Nov. 6	117.2	65.8
13	117.3	65.4
20	117.8	64.8
27	117.9	64.6
Dec. 4	117.9	64.6
11	118.0	64.5
18	118.5	63.6

[x] Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 9	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	Grand Total 112 /
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
October	152.9	123.0	12.6	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	217.5	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	100.0
November	170.3	127.8	14.6	66.9	228.7	69.0	145.7	157.3	254.4	50.9	27.9	105.1	66.1	110.4
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
September	200.6	137.9	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	384.4	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	125.2
October	212.3	151.9	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	409.5	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	133.4
November	219.9	166.9	27.5	107.0	233.4	74.4	179.6	143.6	432.3	62.4	34.6	116.5	81.8	138.4
Weekly Index Numbers														
December 19th, 1935	176.1	124.5	16.0	76.2	217.9	70.1	148.7	156.2	285.6	49.4	27.8	107.6	62.3	110.8
1936														
November 19th	226.1	168.9	26.6	108.1	243.8	75.6	182.9	140.7	441.3	62.6	35.9	117.1	81.5	140.8
November 26th	217.7	164.5	28.7	109.9	230.0	73.9	179.3	138.1	428.8	61.1	33.8	118.8	80.0	136.0
December 3rd	211.9	168.7	29.7	110.6	216.5	73.0	180.2	142.7	422.4	61.0	33.3	120.2	80.0	138.2
December 10th	212.7	165.8	28.7	110.1	220.0	73.5	178.2	141.5	422.1	60.7	33.1	120.6	79.4	133.4
December 17th	216.0	172.1	29.0	113.8	219.9	73.8	182.0	143.6	433.8	61.6	33.6	121.6	80.8	135.5

x Weekly figures. / Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Stock markets were dull and prices declined during the first three days of the k ending December 24. For the following days a more active tone developed and prices ed higher. Gains were slightly greater than losses and the general index advanced ctionally. The index for 112 stocks was 135.7 for the week of December 24 as compared h 135.5 for the previous week and 110.2 for the corresponding week in 1935. In the ustrial section losses in Oils and Breweries counterbalanced gains in the other sub-ups and the index remained unchanged at 216.0. The comparative index for last year 176.1. Although gains in most cases were narrow, industrial stocks to attract ention were Steel of Canada, Canadian Bronze, Kelvinator and Laura Secord. Losses urred for B.A. Oil, International Petroleum, Walkers and National Steel Car. The three -groups included in twenty-three Utilities registered minor advances. The Utilities ex rose from 61.6 for December 17 to 62.1 for December 24. For the week ending ember 26, last year, this index was 49.4. The feature trader in this group was Power poration, which advanced $3.80 during the week and averaged $24.90.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Dec.24	1936 Dec.17	1935 Dec.26	1936 Dec.24	1936 Dec.17	1935 Dec.26
	$	$	$			
urst Power & Paper	17.7	17.0	11.1	17,156	7,267	1,680
ilian	17.8	18.1	9.9	12,285	27,628	12,502
ish American Oil	22.5	22.8	16.0	5,923	6,764	5,337
dian Bronze	57.4	54.7	29.5	1,305	1,520	10
dian Car & Foundry	19.6	18.9	6.7	29,287	19,010	456
dian Ind. Alcohol "A"	7.3	7.2	11.1	14,278	21,468	7,126
dian Pacific Railway	13.5	13.4	11.0	17,218	6,306	6,737
olidated Smelters	79.6	78.8	204.4/	11,371	14,105	483
illers Corp.-Seagrams	27.1	27.0	34.6	12,460	20,875	4,685
nion Steel & Coal "B"	11.6	11.5	4.5	16,099	24,737	2,309
"A"	21.7	22.0	25.0	5,201	4,436	2,256
rial Oil	20.5	20.4	19.8	11,437	11,280	3,020
rnational Nickel	63.7	63.3	44.4	16,786	14,377	38,297
rnational Petroleum	33.9	34.6	34.0	6,622	4,095	1,262
ey-Harris	7.2	7.2	6.1	12,287	7,350	1,915
real Light, Heat & Power	33.1	33.5	32.2	4,160	6,264	2,705
onal Breweries	40.8	41.4	39.2	2,030	1,627	1,085
onal Steel Car	53.8	56.7	15.2	6,213	9,982	450
nda	73.7	73.4	44.5	3,371	5,194	2,578
apec Oil	9.0	8.1	3.5	9,495	17,635	300
r Corporation	24.9	21.1	10.8	13,510	5,560	700
inigan	25.6	25.1	20.3	4,082	3,163	1,783
l of Canada	82.4	77.4	56.6	2,517	1,431	1,090
n Gas	16.0	15.3	8.1	10,183	10,263	1,376
ers	47.7	48.9	31.6	3,910	10,310	2,691
OTAL SALES				249,586	262,647	102,833

s shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.
plit 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBER OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, fell from 118.5 for the week ending December 18 to 118.3 for the week ending December 25. The influence of the holiday season was quite apparent and little interest was displayed by investors. Although some firm spots were in evidence, the general price tone became easier and losses ranged around 1/8, although seldom exceeding ¼.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields rose from 63.6 to 63.9. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.03 as compared with 3.02 for the previous week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January.....	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May	105.3	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
August	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
September ...	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
October	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1
November	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6
December	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
September ...	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
October	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	73.9	66.2
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date	Prices	Yields
Sept. 4	119.3	62.8
11	119.4	62.6
18	119.3	62.8
25	119.2	63.1
Oct. 2	118.2	64.3
9	117.8	65.1
16	117.0	66.3
23	116.8	66.9
30	116.6	67.2
Nov. 6	117.2	65.8
13	117.3	65.4
20	117.8	64.8
27	117.9	64.6
Dec. 4	117.9	64.6
11	118.0	64.5
18	118.5	63.6
25	118.3	63.9

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES			
Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 9	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	Grand Total/ 112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
October	152.9	123.0	12.6	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	217.5	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	100.0
November	170.3	127.8	14.6	66.9	228.7	69.0	145.7	157.3	254.4	50.9	27.9	105.1	66.1	110.4
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	65.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
September	200.6	137.9	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	384.4	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	125.2
October	212.3	151.9	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	409.5	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	133.4
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Weekly Index Numbers														
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November 19th	226.1	168.9	26.6	108.1	243.8	75.6	182.9	140.7	441.3	62.6	35.9	117.1	81.5	140.8
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December 3rd	211.9	168.7	29.7	110.6	216.5	73.0	180.2	142.7	422.4	61.0	33.3	120.2	80.0	133.2
December 10th	212.7	165.8	28.7	110.1	220.0	73.5	178.2	141.5	422.1	60.7	33.1	120.6	79.4	133.4
December 17th	216.0	172.1	29.0	113.8	219.9	73.8	182.0	143.6	433.8	61.6	33.6	121.6	80.8	135.5
December 24th	216.0	173.5	29.2	114.7	218.3	74.6	182.3	141.9	436.6	62.1	33.8	121.7	81.5	135.7

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

Following the holiday, stock markets presented a mixed appearance, but for final two days of the index week ending December 31, prices bounded upward with ent favorites leading the advance. Volume was maintained at a high level. Accordingly general index for 112 common stocks reached 137.7, the maximum for this year with exception of the weeks ending November 12 and 19 when the indexes were 139.4 and).8 respectively. For the week of December 24, this index was 135.7 and the comparative lex for last year was 111.4. A moderate advance of 1.6 points was recorded for 89 lustrials, when the index rose from 216.0 for December 24 to 217.6 the following week. the week ending January 2, 1936, this index stood at 178.3. Six of eight Industrial -groups showed gains with Textiles remaining unchanged and Foods moving lower. Intrial stocks to figure prominently in this week's market were Abitibi, Cockshutt Plow , Massey-Harris, Steel of Canada, St.Lawrence Corporation, Canadian Bronze, Kelvinator . Beatty. The Utilities index was 64.7 for the week of December 31 as compared with 1 for the previous week and 49.8 for the corresponding week last year. Substantial ns were shown for Transportation influenced by C.P.R. and for Power and Traction. er issues were generally higher with notable advances occurring for Power Corporation, winigan, Quebec Power and Montreal Tramways.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x

	PRICES			SALES		
	1936 Dec.31	1936 Dec.24	1936 Jan.2	1936 Dec.31	1936 Dec.24	1936 Jan.2
	$	$	$			
tibi Power & Paper	5.8	4.5	1.3	43,423	9,600	874
hurst Power & Paper	18.2	17.7	13.2	11,601	17,156	6,130
zilian	18.0	17.8	10.2	15,758	12,285	15,032
adian Car & Foundry	20.7	19.6	7.0	16,005	29,287	2,281
ada Cement	14.8	13.4	6.1	10,040	3,769	2,186
adian Pacific Railway	14.7	13.5	11.4	34,664	17,218	7,524
kshutt Plow Co.	13.3	10.7	7.9	29,468	5,085	1,765
solidated Smelters	80.4	79.6	205.4/	3,930	11,371	1,440
tillers Corp.-Seagrams	27.2	27.1	34.7	4,615	12,460	3,217
inion Steel & Coal "B"	12.3	11.6	4.6	15,361	16,099	1,096
d "A"	22.1	21.7	25.0	5,290	5,201	3,553
sum Lime & Alabastine	13.9	13.9	6.8	10,381	4,174	1,550
erial Oil	20.5	20.5	19.8	9,919	11,437	2,533
ernational Nickel	63.9	63.7	45.6	7,482	16,786	26,772
ernational Petroleum	34.2	33.9	34.3	5,907	6,622	1,017
sey-Harris	8.0	7.2	6.2	36,873	12,287	7,319
treal Light, Heat & Power	33.6	33.1	31.7	8,201	4,160	3,192
ional Breweries	40.9	40.8	39.5	2,566	2,030	1,053
ional Steel Car	54.2	53.8	15.5	3,955	6,213	395
anda	74.2	73.7	44.8	2,479	3,771	4,426
tapec Oil	9.7	9.0	3.2	16,475	9,495	200
er Corporation	29.4	24.9	11.1	8,039	13,510	1,435
bec Power	22.5	20.1	14.4	3,966	957	472
winigan	28.2	25.6	19.8	11,636	4,082	1,959
Lawrence Corporation	8.0	6.6	1.8	14,509	6,920	620
TOTAL SALES				332,543	241,975	98,041

As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.
Split 5 for 1 on May 2, 1936.

INDEX NUMBER OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-erm bond prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 118.3 for the week ending December 25 o 118.4 for the week ending January 1. Holidays made a four day week and trading re-ained light. Prices were firm, however, and small gains were shown by the 4½'s of 46, '58 and '59.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields fell from 63.9 to 3.7. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3,027 as compared with ,032 for last week.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
anuary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
ebruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
arch	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
pril	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
ay	105.3	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
une	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
ily	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
ugust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
eptember	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
ctober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1
ovember	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6
ecember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
anuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	9[illegible].3	93.2	70.9	72.4
ebruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
arch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
pril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
ay	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
une	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
uly	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
ugust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
eptember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
ctober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2
ovember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1
ecember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936.

Date	Prices	Yields
Oct. 2	118.2	64.3
9	117.8	65.1
16	117.0	66.3
23	116.8	66.9
30	116.6	67.2
Nov. 6	117.2	65.8
13	117.3	65.4
20	117.8	64.8
27	117.9	64.6
Dec. 4	117.9	64.6
11	118.0	64.5
18	118.5	63.6
25	118.3	63.9
1937 -Jan. 1	118.4	63.7

[x] Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

1926 = 100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES				
Number of Securities 1936	Total 89	Iron and Steel 15	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 5	Oils 5	Textiles and Clothing 11	Food and Allied Products 18	Beverages 9	Miscellaneous 20	Total 23	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 19	Grand Total ƒ 112
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	388.9	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	515.5	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	201.6	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	252.7	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1933 - High	129.2	107.0	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	158.6	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	44.4	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	66.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	129.8	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	198.6	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	83.1	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	154.7	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.6	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	300.5	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	113.6	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	164.4	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
1935														
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	97.5
October	152.9	123.0	12.6	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	217.5	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	100.0
November	170.3	127.8	14.6	66.9	228.7	69.0	145.7	157.3	254.4	50.9	27.9	105.1	66.1	110.4
1936														
January	187.7	130.3	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	140.5	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	136.5	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	329.7	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	131.7	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	125.1	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	125.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	126.0	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	128.5	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
September	200.6	137.9	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	384.4	53.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	125.2
October	212.3	151.9	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	409.5	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	133.4
November	219.9	166.9	27.5	107.0	233.4	74.4	179.6	143.6	432.3	62.4	34.6	116.5	81.8	138.4
Weekly Index Numbers														
January 2nd, 1936	178.3	125.3	17.3	78.6	212.6	72.1	149.5	155.1	297.9	49.8	28.6	107.5	62.4	111.4
1936														
November 19th	226.1	168.9	26.6	108.1	243.8	75.6	182.9	140.7	441.3	62.6	35.9	117.1	81.5	140.8
November 26th	217.7	164.5	28.7	109.9	230.0	73.9	179.3	138.1	428.8	61.1	33.8	118.8	80.0	136.0
December 3rd	211.9	168.7	29.7	110.6	216.5	73.0	180.2	142.7	422.4	61.0	33.3	120.2	80.0	133.2
December 10th	212.7	165.8	28.7	110.1	220.0	73.5	178.2	141.5	422.1	60.7	33.1	120.6	79.4	133.4
December 17th	216.0	172.1	29.0	113.8	219.9	73.8	182.0	143.6	433.8	61.6	33.6	121.6	80.8	135.5
December 24th	216.0	173.5	29.2	114.7	218.3	74.6	182.3	141.9	436.6	62.1	33.8	121.7	81.5	135.7
December 31st	217.6	178.8	31.9	115.4	219.3	74.6	181.2	142.2	439.0	64.7	36.9	121.0	84.5	137.7

x Weekly figures. ƒ Banks not included.

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

A NOTE ON REVISIONS, p. 2-4.

Higher prices and sales volume characterized trading on Canadian stock markets r the first week in 1937 and the general index registered a gain for the fifth success- e week. This index for eighty-seven common stocks mounted from 137.7 for the week of cember 31 to 140.1 for the week ending January 7. The comparative index for last year s 112.8.

Utilities have come in for increasing attention during the past two weeks and ve developed notable firmness. Consequently, the index for nineteen Utilities advanced m 64.7 for December 31 to 67.6 for January 7. For the week ending January 9, 1936, is index was 50.8. In Utilities group, greatest interest was focused on Brazilian, itreal Light, Heat and Power, C.P.R. and Shawinigan.

Industrial stocks moved irregularly higher and the index for sixty-eight iustrials reached 219.7 for January 7. This compares with 217.6 for the previous week i 180.2 for the corresponding week in 1936. Oils were uniformly strong, and Pulp and per and Food issues were also prominent.

DAILY INVESTORS' COMMON STOCK PRICE INDEX NUMBERS

Groups	Daily Indexes January - 4	5	6	7	Weekly Average
DUSTRIALS	218.7	219.1	220.1	221.2	219.7
achinery and Equipment	184.4	186.8	190.5	190.3	188.0
ulp and Paper	34.8	35.4	35.9	34.9	35.2
illing	115.3	115.2	112.9	113.2	114.1
ils	227.2	228.0	231.5	230.3	228.7
extiles and Clothing	74.5	75.0	75.8	76.0	75.2
ood and Allied Products	181.9	182.7	183.5	184.4	183.3
everages	141.3	140.2	140.5	140.3	140.5
uilding Materials	71.7	71.0	71.2	71.2	71.2
ndustrial Mines	545.8	546.5	542.3	552.9	546.9
ILITIES	66.1	66.6	66.6	69.3	67.6
ransportation	36.9	37.1	36.6	38.9	38.1
elephone and Telegraph	121.1	121.4	121.7	122.0	121.6
ower and Traction	87.4	88.2	88.6	92.2	89.6
AND TOTAL	138.9	139.4	139.8	141.7	140.1

CHANGES IN THE INVESTORS' SECURITY PRICE INDEX

In addition to the usual year-end revision of issues included in the Investors' index, a number of changes in method and policy are being inaugurated at the beginning of 1937. Experiments have shown that these changes will not affect the significance of comparisons with earlier periods, and it is believed that they will increase substantially the usefulness of the Investors' price index numbers. The changes made are four in number.

1. Daily indexes are being published once each week as a supplement to the regular weekly averages.

2. The Iron and Steel and Miscellaneous group indexes have been reclassified into Machinery and Equipment, Building Materials and Industrial Mines. The constituents of these new groups are listed on page four.

3. Weekly and monthly indexes will be calculated from weighted daily indexes based on daily closing quotations at Montreal and Toronto. Formerly, weekly and monthly average prices were computed from the complete record of all individual sales recorded on Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange daily sheets. A comparison of results obtained by the two methods is shown below.

4. A considerable reduction has been made in the issues used to compile the index. For the most part these were lightly weighted inactive stocks exerting a negligible influence upon the Investors' price indexes.

In addition, the Bureau has reviewed the weighting principle and the type of average employed. Individual stock weights are based upon the aggregate of shares outstanding, and the weighted arithmetic average is used. Both of these features are being retained.

COMMENTS ON CHANGES

aily Indexes

Daily indexes will be calculated for exactly the same sub-groups and groups hown for weekly computations. These new figures are issued to reveal day to day market luctuations which weekly averages obscure. They are designed to supplement weekly ndexes, rather than to provide a daily service. Daily closing prices at Toronto and ontreal have been weighted by the number of shares outstanding to obtain group aggregates hich are compared with corresponding base period aggregates. The final index may be epresented as -

$$\frac{\text{Current aggregate}}{\text{Base period aggregate}} \times 100$$

roup Reclassification

The wide range of fluctuations in common stock prices make a thorough knowledge f group movements essential to an understanding of market behaviour. This is particular- y true of Canadian markets in which trading is dominated by a comparatively small number f market leaders. It is believed that the present reclassification of Iron and Steel nd Miscellaneous issues into Machinery and Equipment, Building Materials, and Industrial ines will make possible a more clear cut appraisal of price movements. The two indus- rial mines, International Nickel and Consolidated Smelters, have long been a dominant nfluence in the general industrial index as well as in the miscellaneous section, and will now be possible to determine more exactly the extent of this influence. The gregation of building material issues should furnish a valuable reflection of activity the building industry. The Machinery and Equipment group might be logically sub- vided again into Consumers' and Producers' goods, but the available representation of ocks so classifiable does not warrant this distinction at present.

mputation of Weekly and Monthly Indexes

The Bureau's former method of computing weekly and monthly price averages was signed with particular regard for periods of wide market fluctuations. The most repre- ntative average is undoubtedly this type, based upon all sales recorded and giving ch sale price a weight corresponding to sales at that price. However, with literally ndreds of transactions sometimes occurring within the space of one week in a single ock, the laborious nature of such computations is readily evident. In substituting e method described below, the Bureau sacrifices a slight degree of accuracy in weekly erages, but the new procedure still represents a more careful representation of weekly erages than is usual in the construction of this type of index, and the saving in time kes possible the computation of daily figures.

To compute weekly averages for each group index, the daily indexes described ove are weighted by the corresponding group totals of daily sales at Montreal and ronto for the stocks included. This gives a result more closely comparable to that tained by the former method than could be obtained by a simple average of daily in- xes. The relationship between indexes computed by the old method, the weighted aver- e of daily indexes, and the simple unweighted average of daily indexes may be observed om the following table, which also includes constituent daily figures for the three- ek period under review.

Daily and Weekly Indexes for the Investors' Miscellaneous Section

	Days						Weekly Index		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	Old Method	New Method	Unweighted Average
t week	429.9	436.7	424.0	435.3	426.5	427.5	428.8	429.7	430.0
d week	433.6	433.7	429.4	424.1	412.5	422.8	422.4	424.3	426.0
d week	419.8	418.7	415.3	420.7	421.3	430.0	422.1	421.3	421.0

The high level of these indexes and the wide range of fluctuation during the riod combine to accentuate variations due to the different methods of calculation. , for example, the indexes were in the neighbourhood of 100.0, variations would be proximately one-fourth of the amounts shown above. Actually, the decline between the rst and second weeks was 1.5 p.c. when recorded by the old method and 1.3 p.c. by the , while the absolute decreases were 6.2 and 5.4. The second week indexes were only 35 p.c. apart although the absolute difference was 1.9. A more serious discrepancy urred in the figures of the third week, the new method showing a recession of 0.7 p.c. inst 0.1 p.c. according to the old method. This is explained by an unusual concen- ation of sales at low prices in one day of the second week, and it is significant that levels of the two indexes in the third week were again almost identical. In fact, it physically impossible for them to differ materially for more than a short space of e.

luctions in the List of Stocks

A considerable number of closely held and inactive stocks have been deleted m the Investors' lists after careful tests to determine the effect of their removal. tests were based upon prices in two weeks representing approximately the high and points of prices in 1936, and quotations in the low period were chosen as the base an index of the high period. Relationships between indexes for the 1936 list of 112 cks and a reduced list of 79 issues are shown following:

	1936 List	Reduced List
Industrials	120.8	118.5
Utilities	120.3	121.3
Grand Total	120.6	119.1

The list as finally determined includes 96 stocks, a few issues of minor ortance having been replaced to preserve continuity in sub-group index numbers and e bank stocks will also be included in future weekly computations.

ghting Principle and Type of Average

The two most logical weighting principles for an index number of common stock ces are undoubtedly those based upon shares traded and shares outstanding. The eau has retained the latter for two reasons. First, the logical application of trad- volume to a weighting system involves frequent changes of weights which tend to make ultant indexes erratic in character and unsuitable for long period comparisons. ond, if volume weights are corrected only at infrequent intervals, they give substan- lly the same result as weights based upon shares outstanding, except that the importance market leaders tends to be emphasized more strongly by the former. Since a small up of five or six Canadian issues tend to dominate sales, it seems inadvisable to in- ase their influence unnecessarily.

The Bureau has experimented at some length with geometric averages of stock ces but believes the weighted arithmetic type to be preferable. It is more widely erstood, and the results of tests made with the simple geometric average between 1933 1936 compared closely with those obtained from weighted arithmetic averages.

LIST OF STOCKS IN THE INVESTORS' SECURITY PRICE INDEX

Industrials (68)

Machinery & Equipment: (8) Canadian Car and Foundry, Cockshutt Plow Co., Ford "A", General Steel Wares, Kelvinator, Massey-Harris, National Steel Car, Page-Hersey.

Pulp and Paper: (6) Abitibi, Bathurst Power and Paper, Dryden Paper Co., Hinde and Dauch, Howard Smith, St.Lawrence Corporation.

Milling: (4) Lake of the Woods, Maple Leaf, Ogilvie, Western Canada Flour.

Oils: (4) British American Oil, Imperial Oil, International Petroleum, McColl-Frontenac Oil.

Textiles and Clothing: (10) Bruck Silk, Canadian Celanese, Cosmos Imperial, Dominion Textile, Harding Carpets, Montreal Cottons, Penmans, Regent Knitting, Tip Top Tailors, Wabasso Cotton.

Food and Allied Products: (13) Canada Bread, Canadian Canners, Canada Packers, Consolidated Bakeries, Dominion Stores, Eastern Dairies, Fanny Farmer, Imperial Tobacco, Laura Secord, Loblaw "A" and "B", National Grocers, Weston Ltd.

Beverages: (7) Associated Breweries, Canadian Industrial Alcohol "A" and "B", Canadian Wineries, Distillers Corporation-Seagram, National Breweries, Walkers G & W.

Building Materials: (14) Building Products, Canadian Bronze, Canada Cement, Canadian Dredge and Dry Dock, Canada Wire and Cable "A" and "B", Dominion Bridge, Dominion Glass, Foundation Co., Gypsum, Lime and Alabastine, Hamilton Bridge, Sherwin-Williams, Steel of Canada, United Steel.

Industrial Mines: (2) Consolidated Mining and Smelting, International Nickel.

Domestic Utilities (19)

Transportation: (2) Canada Steamship Lines, Canadian Pacific Railway.

Telephone and Telegraph: (2) Bell Telephone, Montreal Telegraph.

Power and Traction: (15) Brazilian, Beauharnois, British Columbia Power "A" and "B", Canada Northern Power, Consumers' Gas, Montreal Light, Heat and Power, Montreal Tramways, Power Corporation, Quebec Power, Shawinigan, Southern Canada Power, Union Gas, Winnipeg Electric "A" and "B".

Banks (9)

Canada, Canadienne Nationale, Commerce, Dominion, Imperial, Montreal, Nova Scotia, Royal, Toronto.

The following issues have been removed from the list of stocks used in 1936: Agnew Surpass, Alberta Pacific Grain, Beatty Bros. Brewers and Distillers, British Columbia Packers, F.N. Burt, Canadian Converters, Canadian Cottons, Canadian General Electric, Canadian Oil, Crows Nest Coal, Dominion Steel and Coal "B", Eastern Steel Products, Chas. Gurd, Hunts "A", International Power, International Utilities "A", Moore Corporation, National Sewer Pipe "A", Ottawa Light, Heat and Power, Ottawa Traction, Photo Engravers, Pressed Metals, Riverside Silk, Simon & Sons, Simpsons "A" and "B", St.Lawrence Flour, Twin City, Viau Biscuit, Western Grocers.

New additions include: Canada Wire and Cable "A" and "B", Harding Carpets, Montreal Cottons.

INDEX NUMBER OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1937.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term ond prices, on the base 1926=100, remained at 113.4 for the week ending January 8. ontreal reported a quiet week with prices slightly irregular. On Wednesday, a softening n some of the more distant maturities coincided with the appearance of a long-term ntario issue for $20,000,000.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields rose from 63.7 to 63.9. he average yield of the six issues used in this index was 3.03. A shifting of emphasis as noted in which the yields of the three longer-term issues increased whereas those f the three shorter-term issues were reduced.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
bruary	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
rch	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
ril	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
y	105.3	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
ne	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
ly	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
gust	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
ptember	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
tober	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1
vember	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6
cember	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
nuary	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	118.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
bruary	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
rch	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
ril	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8
ne	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
y	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
gust	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
tember	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1
ober	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2
vember	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1
cember	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS[x] 1936-1937.

Date	Prices	Yields
Oct. 9	117.8	65.1
16	117.0	66.3
23	116.8	66.9
30	116.6	67.2
Nov. 6	117.2	65.8
13	117.3	65.4
20	117.8	64.8
27	117.9	64.6
Dec. 4	117.9	64.6
11	118.0	64.5
18	118.5	63.6
25	118.3	63.9
1937- Jan. 1	118.4	63.7
8	118.4	63.9

Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES				
Number of Securities 1936	Total 68	Machinery and Equipment 8	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 4	Oils 4	Textiles and Clothing 10	Food and Allied Products 13	Beverages 7	Building Materials 14	Industrial Mines 2	Total 19	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 15	Grand Total 87
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	-	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	-	-	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	232.6
Low	199.3	-	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	-	-	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	154.7
x 1933 - High	129.2	-	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	-	-	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	92.5
Low	56.0	-	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	-	-	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	46.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	-	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	-	-	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	93.6
Low	111.8	-	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	-	-	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	78.2
x 1935 - High	180.5	-	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	-	-	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	113.3
Low	123.7	-	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	-	-	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	84.7
x 1936 - High	226.1	-	31.9	115.4	254.5	76.5	182.9	152.6	-	-	64.7	37.6	121.7	84.5	140.8
Low	180.2	-	16.5	79.5	216.5	65.6	145.2	122.8	-	-	50.6	28.1	108.8	63.2	112.8
1936															
January	187.7	-	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	-	-	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	117.8
February	200.0	-	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	-	-	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	126.1
March	194.8	-	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	-	-	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	122.8
April	194.2	-	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	-	-	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	121.4
May	187.9	-	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	-	-	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	117.9
June	189.3	-	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	-	-	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	119.0
July	190.1	-	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	-	-	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	119.6
August	191.4	-	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	-	-	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	119.9
September	200.6	-	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	-	-	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	125.2
October	212.3	-	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	-	-	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	133.4
November	219.9	-	27.5	107.0	233.4	74.4	179.6	143.6	-	-	62.4	34.6	116.5	81.8	138.4
Weekly Index Numbers															
January 9th, 1936	180.2	-	18.6	79.5	217.5	74.9	152.1	152.6	-	-	50.8	29.6	110.3	63.2	112.8
1936															
December 3rd	211.9	-	29.7	110.6	216.5	73.0	180.2	142.7	-	-	61.0	33.3	120.2	80.0	133.2
December 10th	212.7	-	28.7	110.1	220.0	73.5	178.2	141.5	-	-	60.7	33.1	120.6	79.4	133.4
December 17th	216.0	-	29.0	113.8	219.9	73.8	182.0	143.6	-	-	61.6	33.6	121.6	80.8	135.5
December 24th	216.0	-	29.2	114.7	218.3	74.6	182.3	141.9	-	-	62.1	33.8	121.7	81.5	135.7
December 31st	217.6	-	31.9	115.4	219.3	74.6	181.2	142.2	-	-	64.7	36.9	121.0	84.5	137.7
1937															
January 7th	219.7	188.0	35.2	114.1	228.7	75.2	183.3	140.5	71.2	546.9	67.6	38.1	121.6	89.6	140.1

x Weekly figures. / Banks not included.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, JANUARY 8-14
(1926=100)

ASE NOTE:

This release represents a consolidation of two former weekly bulletins, VESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES, issued each Saturday, and WEIGHTED PRICE DEX NUMBERS OF 24 MINING STOCKS, issued each Monday. It is planned to make this ease each Saturday morning, and the two bulletins mentioned above will no longer pear. Next week a third page will be added to SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE owing historical tables of Investors' price index numbers, Mining Stock price index bers, Dominion of Canada bond price index numbers, and foreign exchange rates in kly rotation.

INVESTORS' INDEX OF COMMON STOCK PRICES

Common stock prices showed little net change for the week ending January 14, . fluctuations were quite narrow. After declining moderately on the 8th and 9th, light rally carried market averages up several points in the next three days, but se gains were largely wiped out on the 14th. The greatest strength appeared in pulp . paper and milling issues, while oils and foods showed fractional losses. Utilities llowed the general market movement outlined above. The Investors' index was 139.1 January 7 and 139.3 for the 14th, while averages for the weeks ending with these es were 137.5 and 139.1 respectively.

INDEX NUMBERS OF 24 MINING STOCKS

Both prices and trading volume were higher for mining stocks during the ter half of the week ended January 14. The general mining stock price index after ling from 172.3 on January 8 to 171.5 on January 9, advanced steadily to 178.2 on the h. The weekly average of 175.2 compared with 172.1 for the preceding week ended uary 7. Golds and base metals moved together, declining slightly on the 9th, and ging a steady rise for the next four days. The net increase in golds amounted to , placing the index at 138.9 on the 14th, while base metals moved up 18.8 to 340.8.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long- m bond prices, on the base 1926=100, declined from 118.4 for the week ending January o 118.0 for the week ending January 14. Demand was light and prices drifted down- d on a small turnover. The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields anced from 63.9 to 64.3. The average yield of the six issues used in this index was 5 as compared with 3.03 for the preceding week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Foreign exchange quotations at Montreal moved within unusually narrow its during the first two weeks of 1937. Sterling and United States dollars gained ctionally, the latter moving up from par to a premium of 0.3 p.c. Sterling advanced to $4.91 1/5, while the French franc remained steady at 4.67 cents. The Argentine o free rate receded slightly after its marked rise of nearly 3 cents during December, le the official peso quotation showed practically no change. German registered ks were reported to have weakened further, although official quotations held firm.

DATES	JANUARY 8	9	11	12	13	14	Weekly Average January 8-14	Preceding Week's Average January 1-7	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	138.6	138.0	138.9	139.0	139.9	139.3	139.1	137.5	112.5	133.2
≠ 68 INDUSTRIALS	225.4	224.8	226.2	226.4	227.7	225.9	226.2	224.5	216.0	187.2
Machinery and Equipment (8)	187.5	187.4	191.6	189.1	189.7	191.1	189.4	188.0	173.1	147.8
Pulp and Paper (6)	34.7	34.5	34.0	34.1	35.8	38.0	36.7	35.2	29.0	18.9
Milling (4)	114.9	114.5	114.2	114.2	116.6	116.2	115.4	114.1	113.8	80.7
Oils (4)	230.2	230.1	229.6	230.1	232.4	229.6	230.1	228.7	219.9	232.2
Textiles and Clothing (10)	76.2	76.5	76.3	76.5	76.8	76.9	76.5	75.2	73.8	75.7
Foods and Allied Products (13)	184.2	184.7	183.9	184.1	183.8	183.9	184.1	183.3	182.0	152.9
Beverages (7)	141.1	141.8	140.9	141.8	141.3	140.4	141.3	140.5	143.6	150.7
Building Materials (14)	71.0	71.2	70.7	71.6	73.1	73.2	72.0	71.2	67.3	46.1
Industrial Mines (2)	549.6	545.7	555.8	555.1	555.0	550.3	553.9	546.9	547.6	379.3
19 UTILITIES	68.8	68.1	68.6	68.7	69.1	69.2	68.8	67.6	61.6	50.8
Transportation (2)	38.6	37.6	38.1	37.9	38.1	38.6	38.3	38.1	33.6	28.8
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	121.4	121.7	121.8	121.7	121.9	122.0	121.8	121.6	121.6	111.4
Power and Traction (15)	91.5	90.9	91.6	92.0	92.7	92.3	91.8	89.6	80.8	63.7
9 BANKS	93.0	93.2	92.8	93.5	94.8	96.0	94.1	91.4	130.9	112.5
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	172.3	171.5	173.7	174.0	177.1	178.2	175.2	172.1	168.3	141.2
Gold Stocks (21)	135.1	134.5	136.1	135.8	138.9	138.9	137.1	135.8	131.4	124.0
Base Metals (3)	325.9	324.9	329.3	332.3	335.2	340.8	332.4	322.3	320.5	211.8
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	118.3	118.3	118.2	118.1	117.7	117.7	118.0	118.4	118.5	113.1
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS INDEX	63.8	63.8	64.0	64.2	64.6	64.6	64.3	63.9	63.6	73.3
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9110	4.9100	4.9100	4.9125	4.9113	4.9121	4.9112	4.9108	4.9022	4.9701
U.S. dollars	.9997	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0003	1.0000	.9998	.9990	1.0010
French franc	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0466	.0664
Belgian belga	.1685	.1686	.1687	.1686	.1687	.1688	.1687	.1686	.1689	.1695
Netherlands florin	.5473	.5476	.5475	.5475	.5475	.5477	.5475	.5474	.5443	.6831
Japanese yen	.2844	.2850	.2852	.2859	.2862	.2865	.2855	.2839	.2851	.2907
Australian pound	3.9288	3.9280	3.9280	3.9300	3.9290	3.9297	3.9289	3.9284	3.9217	3.9761
Argentine peso - free rate	.3019	-	.3030	.3035	.3040	.3041	.3033	.3043	.3030	.2706

	January - 4	5	6	7
Former Investors' index without banks discontinued. Revised daily indexes for first week-	136.2	136.7	137.4	139.1
≠ Weight revision made. Revised daily indexes for preceding week -	223.5	223.9	224.9	226.0

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, JANUARY 15-21
(1926=100)

INVESTORS' INDEX OF COMMON STOCK PRICES

With prices firmly maintained in the face of less active trading interest, the Investors' daily index fluctuated narrowly between 137.2 and 138.6 during the week ended January 21. The low point came on Tuesday, January 19, when small gains for the preceding three days were wiped out, but markets were firm again on the 20th and 21st. The Industrial group index registered a net advance of 0.4 to close the week at 222.8, while Utilities moved up 0.5 to 69.7. Both sections experienced a minor reaction on Tuesday, followed by a stronger tone in the next two days. Appreciable gains were recorded for Machinery and Equipment, Milling, and Textile issues, but these were largely offset by weakness in Building Materials and Oils.

Weekly average indexes advanced fractionally, the Industrial section mounting from 222.6 for the week ended January 14 to 222.8 for the week ended January 21. Corresponding Utility indexes were 68.8 and 69.2, while the Composite Investors' series mounted from 137.7 to 138.1.

INDEX NUMBERS OF 24 MINING STOCKS

Weekly mining price averages showed moderate gains in both the gold and base metal groups, but day to day figures from January 14 to 21 were barely stable for golds, and revealed weakness in base metals. Trading volume among senior mining issues has been declining since the beginning of 1937. The price index for 21 gold stocks fluctuated narrowly between 139.1 and 140.0 during the week, closing strong at the latter figure on the lightest trading of the current year. Base metals dropped from 340.8 on January 14 to 333.1 on the 21st, reflecting declines in base metal commodity prices. The Bureau's base metal stock price index fell nearly 8 points on January 19 when the London copper market suffered the sharpest reaction in several months.

N.B. - Buffalo-Ankerite added to list of gold stocks in 1937.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, declined from 118.0 for the week ending January 14 to 117.7 for the week ending January 21. Trading in high-grade bonds was very light at Montreal during the week but a downward drift which began about the first of the month was checked on Monday when a moderate improvement in demand appeared. By the end of the week fractional gains were reported for all the issues used in this index.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields rose from 64.3 to 64.6. The average yield of the issues included was 3.07 as compared with 3.05 for last week and 3.40 for the corresponding week of last year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Interest in foreign exchange circles during the past week was focussed on the Japanese yen. After recovery from sharp losses in the closing days of December, the yen dropped 1/10 of one cent on January 20, drawing further attention to the unstable position in this currency, which has been affected by an adverse foreign trade position and an unbalanced budget. The Japanese government has undertaken to control imports for the first seven months of 1937, in an effort to preserve exchange stability. New York quotations on all leading currencies declined slightly during the week, and sterling also suffered fractional losses at Montreal. Noon rates at Montreal on January 21, were given as $4.9088 for sterling, 4.67 cents for the French franc, $1.0009 for the United States dollar and 28.58 cents for the Japanese yen.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

DATES	JANUARY 15	16	18	19	20	21	Weekly Average January 15-21	Preceding Weekly Average January 8-14	Corres-ponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	138.2	138.6	138.5	137.2	138.1	138.4	138.1	137.7*	131.3	114.1
68 INDUSTRIALS	223.2	223.8	223.3	221.4	222.3	222.8	222.8	222.6*	216.0	190.6
Machinery and Equipment (8)	155.3	159.5	160.6	157.1	160.7	163.8	160.0	150.8*	137.4	115.4
Pulp and Paper (6)	38.9	39.0	39.4	37.5	37.8	37.9	38.6	36.7	29.2	19.1
Milling (4)	118.1	117.9	122.1	120.1	119.7	121.9	120.3	115.4	114.7	80.4
Oils (4)	229.6	231.2	230.9	230.8	229.2	228.7	230.1	230.1	218.3	236.9
Textiles and Clothing (10)	78.1	78.7	78.8	78.8	78.8	79.2	78.8	76.5	74.6	76.5
Food and Allied Products (13)	184.5	184.6	184.5	184.0	184.3	184.4	184.4	184.1	182.3	155.5
Beverages (7)	141.3	141.1	141.3	140.0	141.6	142.1	141.4	141.3	141.9	152.1
Building Materials (14)	200.8	199.4	200.9	198.3	197.7	198.5	199.4	196.9*	188.1	126.3
Industrial Mines (2)	552.8	552.0	548.1	540.2	547.5	550.2	548.5	553.9	551.5	389.0
19 UTILITIES	68.9	69.2	69.3	68.5	69.5	69.7	69.2	68.8	62.1	50.6
Transportation (2)	38.6	39.4	39.1	38.4	39.9	39.9	39.4	38.3	33.8	28.1
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	122.0	122.2	122.2	122.2	122.2	122.2	122.1	121.8	121.7	112.5
Power and Traction (15)	91.8	91.7	92.1	91.0	91.9	92.2	91.8	91.8	81.5	63.7
9 BANKS	96.2	96.6	96.9	96.9	96.7	96.6	96.6	94.1	89.5	78.9
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	178.5	178.7	178.7	176.8	177.0	177.6	177.9	175.2	167.7	143.3
Gold Stocks (21)	139.4	140.0	139.9	139.5	139.1	140.0	139.6	137.1	130.4	125.7
Base Metals (3)	340.3	338.4	339.2	331.4	333.7	333.1	337.6	332.4	321.8	215.6
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.7	117.8	117.8	117.7	118.0	118.3	113.8
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	64.8	64.9	64.9	64.7	64.2	64.1	64.6	64.3	63.9	71.9
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9135	4.9135	4.9152	4.9138	4.9106	4.9088	4.9126	4.9112	4.9066	4.9588
U.S. dollars	1.0005	1.0005	1.0009	1.0009	1.0006	1.0009	1.0007	1.0000	.9991	1.0001
French franc	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0661
Belgian belga	.1688	.1687	.1688	.1688	.1686	.1686	.1687	.1687	.1688	.1693
Netherlands florin	.5478	.5479	.5480	.5481	.5478	.5480	.5479	.5475	.5469	.6807
Japanese yen	.2869	.2968	.2868	.2868	.2858	.2858	.2882	.2855	.2855	.2898
Australian pound	3.9308	3.9308	3.9322	3.9311	3.9285	3.9271	3.9301	3.9289	3.9253	3.9670
Argentine peso-free rate	.3031	-	.3035	.3033	.3032	.3035	.3033	.3033	.3044	.2722

x Bank of Canada. * Correction for weeks ending January 7 and 14.

1926=100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES					
Number of Securities 1937	Total	Machinery and Equipment	Pulp and Paper	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Building Materials	Industrial Mines	Total	Transportation	Telephone Telegraph	Power and Traction	Banks	Grand Total
	68	8	6	4	4	10	13	7	14	2	19	2	2	15	9	96
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	432.5	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	281.1	591.3	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	131.7	198.3
Low	199.3	184.7	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	179.1	266.2	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	116.7	134.6
x 1933 - High	129.2	99.8	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	84.9	190.0	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	81.1	82.5
Low	56.0	39.2	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	44.3	74.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	63.1	43.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	126.5	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	104.1	242.2	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	75.2	83.1
Low	111.8	78.2	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	79.5	187.0	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	64.4	69.5
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.7	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	118.0	377.9	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	79.8	98.8
Low	123.7	109.1	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	102.6	193.3	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	75.3	75.7
x 1936 - High	226.1	142.3	31.9	115.4	254.5	76.5	182.9	152.6	192.0	553.9	64.7	37.6	121.7	84.5	84.5	122.6
Low	180.2	102.0	16.5	79.5	216.5	65.6	145.2	122.8	123.6	371.2	50.6	28.1	108.8	63.2	76.6	98.6
1936																
January	187.7	118.2	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	127.3	387.2	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	78.6	112.9
February	200.0	125.0	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	135.4	418.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	82.6	120.7
March	194.8	122.2	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	131.7	416.3	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	79.6	117.4
April	194.2	114.3	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	134.1	401.8	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	77.5	115.9
May	187.9	108.0	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	128.6	394.8	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	77.7	112.8
June	189.3	106.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	77.8	113.8
July	190.1	102.4	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	428.5	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	77.2	114.3
August	191.4	103.0	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	79.0	114.7
September	200.6	113.6	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	149.7	488.1	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	79.7	119.5
October	212.3	127.3	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	162.6	519.3	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	80.6	126.9
November	219.9	140.4	27.5	107.0	233.4	74.4	179.6	143.6	178.3	546.2	62.4	34.6	116.5	81.8	84.5	131.8
December	212.8	139.4	29.7	112.5	215.4	73.5	182.3	145.3	181.9	540.0	62.8	34.6	120.4	82.1	87.7	129.2
Weekly Index Numbers																
January 23rd, 1936	190.6	115.4	19.1	80.4	236.9	76.5	155.5	152.1	126.3	389.0	50.6	28.1	112.5	63.7	78.9	114.1
1936																
December 17th	216.0	137.8	29.0	113.8	219.9	73.8	182.0	143.6	185.3	547.6	61.6	33.6	121.6	80.8	87.3	130.9
December 24th	216.0	137.4	29.2	114.7	218.3	74.6	182.3	141.9	188.1	551.5	62.1	33.8	121.7	81.5	89.5	131.3
December 31st	217.6	142.3	31.9	115.4	219.3	74.6	181.2	142.2	192.2	553.9	64.7	36.9	121.0	84.5	89.5	133.2
1937																
January 7th	221.0+	149.6+	35.2	114.1	228.7	75.2	183.3	140.5	194.8+	546.9	67.6	38.1	121.6	89.6	91.4	136.1+
January 14th	222.6	150.8	36.7	115.4	230.1	76.5	184.1	141.3	196.9	553.9	68.8	38.3	121.8	91.8	94.1	137.7
January 21st	222.8	160.0	38.6	120.3	230.1	78.8	184.4	141.4	199.4	548.5	69.2	39.4	122.1	91.8	96.6	138.1

x Weekly figures. + Correction for weeks ending January 7 and 14.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, JANUARY 22-28
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCKS

Prices and trading volume both declined moderately during the fourth week January, the latter reaching the lowest levels of the month. Trading showed signs broadening out again, however, on Thursday, January 28, and prices in nearly all ctions of the market reacted to this revival of interest. The Investors' weekly erage index of industrials and utilities dropped back from last week's high point for e month of 138.1 to 137.8. Nickel, Smelters, and the Oils were mainly responsible for is decline, as many groups including Machinery and Equipment, Milling, Foods, and wer and Traction averaged higher than in the preceding week. Market averages during nuary have fluctuated narrowly around a level slightly above the preceding November ak, after staging a steady rally throughout December. Present levels are the highest the recovery movement.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Further precipitate declines in the base metal issues have recently overadowed other developments among mining issues. Prior to slight recovery on January , when strength was apparent in nearly all types of stocks, the Bureau's base metal ice index had dropped over 23 points to 316.2, within the space of a fortnight. Gold ocks remained firm throughout this period, although showing a weak tendency on January , when, as noted above, prices in nearly all other sections were advancing. Weekly erage indexes for golds stiffened from 139.6 to 139.8 between the third and fourth eks of January, while the base metal series dropped from 337.6 to 321.8. Trading terest in the senior mining issues has revived somewhat recently at the expense of the re speculative groups which had been dominant earlier in the month.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The downward movement in Dominion long-term bond prices continued, after the ight check of last week, and losses were general, ranging as high as 1.25 points in me of the more distant maturities. The greater part of this decline occurred in the tter days of the week following the announcement concerning the re-appraisal of the nadian National Railways financial structure. Losses of half a point in this one y were common among the Federal issues. Declines were reflected in the Dominion Bureau Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices which fell from 7.7 for the week ending January 21 to 117.3 for the week ending January 28. No inease in offerings was reported and turnover remained light.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields rose from 64.6 to 65.1. e average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.09 as compared with 3.07 for e previous week and 3.36 for the corresponding week of last year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Official denials failed to end speculation regarding further devaluation of e French franc which was under pressure during the fourth week of January with forward sitions proving more vulnerable than spot rates. An increase in the official discount te of the Bank of France on January 28 from 2 p.c. to 4 p.c., terminated a period of w money rates dating back to last October. The present position of the franc at 4.66 nts would permit an additional reduction of approximately 0.3 cents under provisions the devaluation legislation of last October. Japanese yen quotations remained unady, and weakness was apparent in the Argentine peso free rate which had advanced rply during December. The Canadian dollar was strong, recording small advances ainst practically all leading currencies.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	JANUARY 22	23	25	26	27	28	Weekly Average January 22-28	Preceding Weekly Average January 15-21	Corres-ponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	138.4	138.5	138.5	137.1	136.9	137.2	137.8	138.1	133.2	116.7
68 INDUSTRIALS	223.1	223.4	223.2	220.8	219.9	220.8	221.9	222.8	217.6	194.4
Machinery and Equipment (8)	164.4	164.6	163.3	160.0	160.1	161.0	162.8	160.0	142.3	118.3
Pulp and Paper (6)	38.8	39.1	38.4	37.0	38.3	39.2	38.6	38.6	31.9	19.4
Milling (4)	122.8	122.6	124.3	122.3	121.4	122.3	123.0	120.3	115.4	81.5
Oils (4)	229.3	229.5	232.0	229.9	228.0	227.5	229.4	230.1	219.3	241.9
Textiles and Clothing (10)	79.1	79.2	79.2	78.6	78.6	78.3	78.9	78.8	74.6	74.9
Food and Allied Products (13)	184.7	184.3	185.4	185.5	184.8	186.1	185.2	184.4	181.2	156.1
Beverages (7)	141.0	142.1	140.8	141.3	139.8	141.0	141.1	141.4	142.2	151.0
Building Materials (14)	198.5	199.1	198.3	195.9	197.4	198.3	198.0	199.4	192.2	128.3
Industrial Mines (2)	550.4	550.7	545.0	537.4	536.8	541.3	544.3	548.5	553.9	398.9
19 UTILITIES	69.4	69.4	69.6	68.7	69.2	69.1	69.2	69.2	64.7	52.7
Transportation (2)	38.9	39.4	39.4	38.4	38.9	38.6	38.9	39.4	36.9	30.6
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	122.3	122.7	122.3	122.3	122.3	122.6	122.4	122.1	121.0	112.8
Power and Traction (15)	92.6	92.0	92.5	91.5	92.1	92.1	92.2	91.8	84.5	65.9
9 BANKS	96.7	96.4	96.9	97.0	96.8	96.4	96.8	96.6	89.5	80.1
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	177.2	177.1	176.3	174.8	174.8	174.7	175.6	177.9	170.3	149.9
Gold Stocks (21)	139.9	139.7	139.7	139.5	140.5	139.3	139.8	139.6	133.6	131.3
Base Metals (3)	331.8	331.8	327.6	320.4	316.2	320.8	321.8	337.6	322.1	326.2
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	117.7	117.6	117.6	117.4	116.8	116.6	117.3	117.7	118.4	114.5
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	64.5	64.5	64.6	65.1	65.7	65.9	65.1	64.6	63.7	71.1
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9078	4.9062	4.9081	4.9106	4.9031	4.8990	4.9058	4.9126	4.9106	4.9872
U.S. dollars	1.0008	1.0006	1.0006	1.0006	1.0006	1.0003	1.0006	1.0007	.9997	.9973
French franc	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0466	.0466	.0467	.0467	.0467	.0665
Belgian belga	.1685	.1686	.1686	.1686	.1686	.1686	.1686	.1687	.1686	.1700
Netherlands florin	.5479	.5479	.5478	.5478	.5478	.5477	.5478	.5479	.5474	.6840
Japanese yen	.2856	.2863	.2860	.2860	.2856	.2852	.2858	.2882	.2830	.2910
Australian pound	3.9263	3.9250	3.9265	3.9285	3.9225	3.9192	3.9247	3.9301	3.9282	3.9897
Argentine peso - free rate	.3022	-	.2994	.2952	.2992	.3011	.2994	.3033	.3044	.2756

x Bank of Canada.

INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY-FOUR MINING STOCKS
(1926=100)

Number of Stocks 1937	Gold 21	Base Metals 3	Total Index 24
x1928 - High	137.2	322.2	138.6
Low	75.4	105.7	107.3
x1929 - High	89.7	318.0	127.9
Low	52.7	157.3	72.6
x1930 - High	66.7	203.1	88.3
Low	53.3	56.4	56.7
x1931 - High	79.5	108.3	85.4
Low	54.4	49.9	54.8
x1932 - High	63.1	82.3	64.8
Low	48.5	42.5	46.8
x1933 - High	111.9	144.1	116.7
Low	64.9	68.2	65.1
x1934 - High	140.1	167.6	143.3
Low	103.1	125.0	107.3
x1935 - High	131.2	211.7	136.7
Low	104.7	128.6	114.9
x1936 - High	136.2	322.1	170.3
Low	118.3	205.5	135.4
1935			
November	111.8	181.9	125.5
December	116.9	201.7	133.6
1936			
January	124.8	214.8	142.4
February	130.2	230.4	149.8
March	122.7	232.2	144.2
April	122.8	241.1	145.8
May	128.9	239.2	150.3
June	134.4	246.0	156.1
July	134.4	254.1	157.6
August	132.6	264.0	158.1
September	131.2	267.1	157.6
October	126.4	289.4	158.2
November	131.8	312.5	167.0
December	131.3	317.8	167.7
Weekly Index Numbers			
1936			
Week ending December 10th	129.9	306.9	164.4
" " " 17th	131.4	320.5	168.3
" " " 24th	130.4	321.8	167.7
" " " 31st	133.6	322.1	170.3
1937			
Week ending January 7th	135.8	322.3	172.1
" " " 14th	137.1	332.4	175.2
" " " 21st	139.6	337.6	177.9
" " " 28th	139.8	321.8	175.6

x Weekly figures.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, JANUARY 29-FEBRUARY 4
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

With trading interest centring on utilities and industrial mines, these groups led a recovery movement which wiped out losses suffered by general industrial and utility averages in the fourth week of January. Price levels on February 2 and 3 were the highest for the current year to date, but reacted slightly on the 4th. The paper and milling issues declined moderately on sharply reduced sales volume, and foods and building materials recorded minor net decreases. Most other groups with the exception of market leaders mentioned above, recorded fractional gains for the week ended February 4. The weekly average for industrials advanced from 221.9 to 222.5, while utilities led by C.P.R. Bell Telephone and certain power issues mounted from 69.2 to 71.2. Both groups combined moved up 1.2 to 139.0.

MINING STOCK PRICES

A broader trading interest in mines was accompanied by rising prices in practically all groups. Although the greatest gains occurred among the speculative gold issues, strength was also apparent in the stocks of producing mines. The Bureau of Statistics mining price index based upon this latter group mounted from 175.6 to 176.4 between the weeks ending January 28 and February 4. The daily index for the gold section mounted irregularly from 139.3 to 141.6 between those two dates, while base metals moved up from 320.8 to 323.3, but still remained far below their January high of 340.8 (January 14). Trading volume reached the highest levels of the current year on February 3 and 4.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices fell from 117.3 for the week ending January 28 to 116.3 for the week ending February 4. Trading was very light at Montreal with nothing of an outstanding nature reported. Interest quickened temporarily following the rapid subscription of $35,000,000 in Canadian National Railway bonds, but prices soon reacted and losses of ¼ to ½ points were common over the week-end. The downward drift continued for the balance of the week and several of the conversions finished a full point lower. Provincials were quite irregular. Eastern issues were mainly steady while Saskatchewan and Alberta bonds were buoyant, ranging from 1 point down to 2 points up for the week. Manitoba and British Columbia, on the contrary, finished from 1 point up to 3½ points lower.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields rose from 65.1 to 66.5. The average yield of the issues included in this index was 3.16 as compared with 3.09 for the previous week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Exchange fluctuations for the week ended February 3 were very slight. The Canadian dollar was strong, moving against both sterling and the United States dollar. So also was the Belgian belga which advanced a point at Montreal. The Japanese yen moved uncertainly but within narrow limits, and tended to be moderately stronger at the close. The French franc held steady at Montreal but advanced at London following the successful termination of arrangements for a French Railway Loan of £40,000,000 on the London market. Later, forward francs declined as an increased armament budget was accepted by the Chamber of Deputies.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	JANUARY 29	JANUARY 30	FEBRUARY 1	FEBRUARY 2	FEBRUARY 3	FEBRUARY 4	Weekly Average January 29 to February 4	Preceding Weekly Average January 22-28	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	137.0	137.4	138.2	139.7	140.1	139.8	139.0	137.8	136.1	120.1
68 INDUSTRIALS	220.5	221.4	221.8	223.4	224.6	223.8	222.5	221.9	221.0	199.3
Machinery and Equipment (8)	161.2	162.7	160.5	161.3	160.2	160.5	161.0	162.8	149.6	121.6
Pulp and Paper (6)	39.2	38.9	38.5	38.4	38.4	37.8	38.6	38.6	35.2	20.0
Milling (4)	119.7	120.1	120.1	121.4	121.2	121.1	120.2	123.0	114.1	81.9
Oils (4)	227.9	229.4	229.8	230.0	230.6	229.9	229.7	229.4	228.7	250.9
Textiles and Clothing (10)	78.5	78.9	78.9	78.8	78.8	78.7	78.8	78.9	75.2	73.4
Food and Allied Products (13)	184.6	184.2	184.5	185.6	185.2	185.6	185.0	185.2	183.3	157.5
Beverages (7)	139.8	141.3	140.1	139.9	139.5	141.0	140.2	141.1	140.5	150.7
Building Materials (14)	197.1	199.7	199.4	199.2	198.4	197.4	198.6	198.0	194.8	133.4
Industrial Mines (2)	540.1	539.9	543.3	551.6	558.5	555.1	553.4	544.3	546.9	404.3
19 UTILITIES	68.9	69.0	70.3	72.2	71.9	71.9	71.2	69.2	67.6	55.0
Transportation (2)	38.4	38.9	39.6	42.4	41.9	41.4	41.3	38.9	38.1	32.9
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	122.8	122.9	128.3	127.7	124.5	124.9	125.9	122.4	121.6	113.7
Power and Traction (15)	91.9	91.6	92.7	94.4	94.8	95.2	93.8	92.2	89.6	68.6
9 BANKS	96.4	96.6	96.8	97.0	96.8	97.0	96.8	96.8	91.4	81.6
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	175.0	175.9	176.3	176.3	177.4	177.0	176.4	175.6	172.1	150.3
Gold Stocks (21)	140.0	141.1	141.3	141.4	142.0	141.6	141.3	139.8	135.8	131.1
Base Metals (3)	319.2	319.4	320.8	320.4	323.4	323.3	321.6	321.8	322.3	229.2
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	116.6	116.6	116.3	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.3	117.3	118.4	115.1
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	66.0	66.0	66.4	66.8	66.9	66.9	66.5	65.1	63.9	70.7
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9002	4.8990	4.8958	4.9005	4.9015	4.8965	4.8989	4.9058	4.9108	5.0073
U.S. dollars	1.0003	1.0003	1.0000	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0006	.9998	.9981
French franc	.0466	.0466	.0467	.0466	.0466	.0466	.0466	.0467	.0467	.0668
Belgian belga	.1686	.1689	.1687	.1688	.1687	.1687	.1687	.1686	.1686	.1703
Netherlands florin	.5477	.5478	.5475	.5477	.5477	.5477	.5477	.5478	.5474	.6860
Japanese yen	.2851	.2857	.2850	.2853	.2855	.2855	.2854	.2858	.2839	.2920
Australian pound	3.9202	3.9192	3.9166	3.9204	3.9212	3.9172	3.9191	3.9247	3.9284	4.0058
Argentine - peso - free rate	.3001	-	.2996	.3001	.3011	.3011	.3004	.2994	.3043	.2762

x Bank of Canada.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6	117.7
February	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0	-
March	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5	-
April	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7	-
May	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9	-
June	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0	-
July	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0	-
August	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1	-
September ...	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1	-
October	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1	-
November	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6	-
December	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4	64.6
February	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8	-
March	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9	-
April	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5	-
May	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8	-
June	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9	-
July	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1	-
August	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2	-
September ...	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1	-
October	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2	-
November	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1	-
December	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO POPULAR BOND ISSUES, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.3	76.2	85.5	70.4
February	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6	-
March	101.3	101.3	95.0	110.6	100.0	90.2	79.5	77.3	-
April	103.3	101.3	95.0	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5	-
May	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6	-
June	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3	-
July	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0	-
August	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2	-
September ...	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	88.3	69.9	-
October	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2	-
November	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	71.8	-
December	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	82.7	69.7	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BONDS, 1936-1937.[x]

Date	Prices	Yields
Nov. 6	117.2	65.8
13	117.3	65.4
20	117.8	64.8
27	117.9	64.6
Dec. 4	117.9	64.6
11	118.0	64.5
18	118.5	63.6
25	118.3	63.9
Jan. 8	118.4	63.9
+ 14	118.0	64.3
21	117.7	64.6
28	117.3	65.1

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.
+ Change to week ending Thursday.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, FEBRUARY 5-FEBRUARY 11
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Composite stock prices averages recorded minor gains for the week ended bruary 11. The market has failed to make much headway since the beginning of 1937, s behaviour offering a marked contrast to the wide movements in the last four months the year preceding. Such recovery as has followed the reaction of last November, aves price levels still below the peaks made prior to that time. The greatest rength during the past week appeared in machinery and equipment and building materials l by Ford "A" and the steel issues. Foods were also strong, but paper, milling, and verage stocks continued their gradual decline which started over a fortnight ago. dustrial mines closed firm after following an erratic course earlier in the week. wer issues were steady, while Bell Telephone headed upward again after a short setback. P.R. moved uncertainly but lost little ground. Group price indexes for the weeks ded February 4 and 11 were: Industrials 222.5 and 222.6, Utilities 71.2 and 72.4, and nks 96.8 and 97.3. The Investors' composite index advanced from 139.0 to 139.5.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Interest shifted to a considerable extent from metals to oils on the mining rket during the week ended February 11, and both trading volume and prices declined. gold group fell from 141.6 to 139.6 during this period, while the weekly average of 0.3 was down 1.0. Base metals dropped sharply from 323.3 to 316.3, but recovered to so at 320.6. The weekly average of 318.6 showed a decline of 3.0. The general ing stock price index moved down 1.3 to 175.1. This series which reflects prices stocks for producing mines was much less affected by the market decline than specu- ive non-producing issues.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term d prices was unchanged at 116.3 for the week ending February 11. During the first days the market moved up and a fairly good volume of business was reported by Montreal. lackening in interest then occurred until on Monday the Dominion Perpetual 3's showed ns of weakness, which increased as reports of a sharp reaction on the London market e received. By the end of the week the whole list had slipped to finish well below previous week's close, with Perpetuals leading the long-terms for a loss of over points. C.N.R.'s and eastern Provincials receded in sympathy while movements of tern Provincial issues were mixed. Gains in Province of Alberta bonds since the be- ning of February have offered a marked contrast to the weak tendency in other western vincials.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields rose from 66.5 to 66.7 the same period. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.18 as pared with 3.16 for the preceding week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Exchange movements have been exceptionally narrow since the beginning of ruary. New York funds at Montreal have remained at $1.0003 since February 1, while rling rates held between $4.899 and $4.896. Spot quotations on the French franc ffened slightly between February 5 and 11, while the Dutch guilder declined fraction- y. The guilder was believed to have reacted to the diminishing volume of repatriated ital, and it is thought that most of the funds which left the Netherlands prior to aluation have now been returned.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	FEBRUARY 5	6	8	9	10	11	Weekly Average February 5-11	Preceding Weekly Average Jan.29-Feb.4	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	138.7	139.3	140.0	139.3	139.4	140.2	139.5	139.0	137.7	120.2
68 INDUSTRIALS	221.8	222.1	223.1	222.0	222.8	223.9	222.6	222.5	222.6	199.5
Machinery and Equipment (8)	162.8	164.9	165.8	166.2	167.3	166.9	165.5	161.0	150.8	121.9
Pulp and Paper (6)	37.1	36.7	36.6	36.3	35.7	34.5	36.0	38.6	36.7	21.2
Milling (4)	120.6	120.3	120.1	120.4	119.5	119.3	120.0	120.2	115.4	84.8
Oils (4)	227.0	227.7	228.1	228.1	227.2	229.9	228.1	229.7	230.1	249.7
Textiles and Clothing (10)	78.8	78.5	79.2	78.1	78.4	78.2	78.5	78.8	76.5	74.4
Food and Allied Products (13)	186.4	187.2	188.2	187.4	186.4	188.8	187.2	185.0	184.1	159.2
Beverages (7)	139.4	138.6	138.6	138.4	138.4	137.5	138.6	140.2	141.3	150.4
Building Materials (14)	198.0	198.9	200.4	201.1	203.3	204.7	201.2	198.6	196.9	154.9
Industrial Mines (2)	549.8	550.0	554.1	547.7	554.2	555.2	552.7	553.4	553.9	406.6
19 UTILITIES	71.5	72.4	73.0	72.6	72.0	72.8	72.4	71.2	68.8	55.0
Transportation (2)	40.2	41.4	42.4	41.9	40.7	41.4	41.4	41.3	38.3	32.4
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	124.9	125.4	125.7	126.4	127.2	128.8	126.9	125.9	121.8	112.1
Power and Traction (15)	95.3	96.1	96.5	95.9	95.6	96.3	95.9	93.8	91.8	69.5
9 BANKS	97.2	97.8	97.5	97.3	97.2	97.1	97.3	96.8	94.1	82.3
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	175.8	176.4	175.4	174.4	173.9	174.9	175.1	176.4	175.2	148.6
Gold Stocks (21)	140.8	141.5	140.7	139.9	139.5	139.6	140.3	141.3	137.1	129.7
Base Metals (3)	320.5	320.5	318.8	316.9	316.3	320.6	318.6	321.6	332.4	226.3
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	116.4	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.1	115.5	116.3	116.3	117.7	114.8
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	66.3	66.0	66.0	66.5	67.3	68.1	66.7	66.5	64.6	71.0
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.8927	4.8952	4.8952	4.8965	4.8978	4.8993	4.8961	4.8989	4.9112	4.9973
U.S. dollars	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0000	.9982
French franc	.0465	.0466	.0466	.0466	.0466	.0467	.0467	.0466	.0467	.0667
Belgian belga	.1687	.1689	.1688	.1688	.1688	.1687	.1688	.1687	.1687	.1700
Netherlands florin	.5477	.5478	.5477	.5476	.5465	.5448	.5470	.5477	.5475	.6853
Japanese yen	.2852	.2856	.2853	.2854	.2854	.2855	.2854	.2854	.2855	.2918
Australian pound	3.9142	3.9162	3.9162	3.9172	3.9182	3.9194	3.9169	3.9191	3.9289	3.9979
Argentine peso - free rate	.3011	-	.3263	.3006	.3011	.3011	.3061	.3004	.3033	.2761

x Bank of Canada.

NOTE: The noon rates in Canadian Funds upon which these averages are based, have been supplied by the Bank of Canada.

Former Gold Parities	New York Funds	London Sterling	France Franc	Belgium Belga	Italy Lira	Switzerland Franc	Holland Guilder	Norway Kroner	Sweden Kroner	Denmark Kroner
		4.8666	.0392 (1)	.1001	.0526 (2)	.1930 (3)	.4020 (4)	.2680	.2680	.2680
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
February	.9986	4.9940	.0667	.1702	.0803	.3299	.6853	.2509	.2574	.2228
March	1.0013	4.9783	.0664	.1700	.0800	.3287	.6844	.2501	.2567	.2222
April	1.0047	4.9673	.0662	.1700	.0794	.3273	.6821	.2495	.2561	.2217
May	1.0018	4.9798	.0660	.1697	.0787	.3243	.6780	.2502	.2567	.2223
June	1.0026	5.0328	.0661	.1695	.0789	.3250	.6790	.2529	.2595	.2246
July	1.0008	5.0269	.0663	.1691	.0789	.3275	.6813	.2526	.2591	.2244
August	1.0001	5.0265	.0659	.1686	.0787	.3260	.6791	.2525	.2592	.2244
September	.9997	5.0390	.0647	.1689	.0786	.3174	.6671	.2532	.2598	.2249
October	.9997	4.8972	.0467	.1683	.0545	.2299	.5362	.2460	.2525	.2186
November	.9986	4.8817	.0464	.1688	.0525	.2295	.5392	.2452	.2516	.2179
December	.9993	4.9030	.0466	.1688	.0526	.2297	.5451	.2463	.2528	.2189
1937 - January ...	1.0003	4.9092	.0467	.1687	.0526	.2294	.5477	.2467	.2531	.2192

Former Gold Parities	Spain Peseta	Czecho-Slovakie Koruna	Argentine Peso (Paper)	Australia (Pound)	Brazil Milreis	Germany Reichs-mark	India Rupee	China (Shanghai) Dollar	Japan Yen	Union of S. Africa (Pound)	New Zealand (Pound)
	.1930	.0296 (5)	.4244 Unofficial	4.8666	.1196 Unofficial	.2382	.3650		.4985	4.8666	4.8666
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
February	.1382	.0419	.2754	3.9952	.0568	.4063	.3768	.2992	.2910	4.9880	4.0274
March	.1377	.0418	.2753	3.9827	.0567	.4050	.3756	.2989	.2900	4.9721	4.0151
April	.1373	.0416	.2758	3.9735	.0569	.4043	.3749	.2988	.2902	4.9590	4.0059
May	.1367	.0415	.2758	3.9838	.0561	.4036	.3757	.2979	.2912	4.9736	4.0159
June	.1369	.0415	.2770	4.0262	.0568	.4038	.3797	.3001	.2948	5.0265	4.0587
July	.1373	.0416	.2729	4.0215	.0578	.4036	.3792	.3000	.2935	5.0206	4.0539
August	.1365	.0413	.2778	4.0210	.0584	.4023	.3794	.3007	.2941	5.0202	4.0538
September	.1365	.0413	.2833	4.0312	.0589	.4010	.3810	.2999	.2946	5.0327	4.0637
October	-	.0365	.2772	3.9178	.0585	.4019	.3698	.2938	.2860	4.8911	3.9488
November	-	.0354	.2765	3.9054	.0585	.4017	.3686	.2949	.2849	4.8760	3.9368
December	-	.0352	.2975	3.8820	.0594	.4019	.3706	.2954	.2849	4.8964	3.9528
1937 - January ...	-	.0350	.3024	3.9273	.0609	.4024	.3711	.2970	.2855	4.9031	3.9591

(1) French franc devalued September 26 - New Gold content temporarily established between 43 to 49 milligrammes.
(2) Italian lira devalued by 40.93 p.c. October 5. (3) Swiss franc devalued September 26 - No value fixed but held temporarily at a rate within 10 p.c. of its former nominal dollar parity. (4) Holland abandoned gold standard September 26 - No definite stabilization level for the Dutch guilder yet established. (5) Czecho-Slovakian crown devalued October 8 by 13.3 p.c. to 18.7 p.c. over and above the 16 2/3 p.c. devaluation of February 1934.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, FEBRUARY 12-18.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Industrial and Utility averages advanced during the week ended February 18 on light selective trading. The list was overshadowed by the sharp rise in International Nickel and Consolidated Smelters, although Brazilian likewise commanded considerable attention. The only pronounced weakness occurred in the Machinery and Equipment group in which Ford "A" and General Steel Wares suffered appreciable losses. Banks were also fractionally lower. The Investors' index mounted from 139.5 for the week ended February 11 to 141.4 for the week of February 18. The industrial section which advanced from 222.6 to 226.1 was mainly responsible for this gain, although utilities were also firm, moving up from 72.4 to 73.5.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Base metals took the centre of the mining stock stage recently when higher prices in base metal commodity markets served as a stimulus sufficient to recover most of the sharp losses suffered during January. Gold stocks on the other hand were generally weaker, the largest declines occurring among the well established producers. Trading volume in mines recovered slightly in the closing days of the week after dropping to the lowest levels of the past year. The Bureau's index of 24 mining issues was depressed by the gold section from 175.1 to 174.7 between the weeks ended February 11 and 18. The gold index fell from 140.3 to 138.5, while base metals mounted from 318.6 to 328.3.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

Thd Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices fell from 116.3 for the week ending February 11 to 114.7 for the week ending February 18, reflecting declines in high grade issues on the London market. This was the greatest change in any one week since the present recession commenced at the beginning of the year, and the index now approximates that of the last week in January, 1936. Among the Provincials, the Easterns were unsettled and easy in sympathy with the Dominion but the situation among the Westerns was reversed from that of the previous week and quotations were generally higher with the exception of the Albertas which showed losses of as much as 2½ points.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields rose from 66.7 to 69.4 during the week. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.31 as compared with 3.18 for the preceding week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Rates on the United States dollar and French franc remained unchanged at Montreal throughout the week ended February 18. Other rates fluctuated very narrowly, further discussion of action on foreign funds entering the New York security markets failing to disturb spot positions. New York rates on practically all currencies have declined slightly, however, during the past month. The Netherlands florin recently recovered earlier losses when the official price of gold in that country was reduced. Such action has been without parallel for many years, and improvement in florin rates failed to reflect more than a fractional amount of the decrease in gold.

Dates	FEBRUARY 12	13	15	16	17	18	Weekly Average February 12-18	Preceding Weekly Average February 5 - 11	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	140.2	140.5	140.0	141.2	142.4	143.2	141.4	139.5	138.1	122.7
68 INDUSTRIALS	223.9	224.6	223.3	225.1	228.1	229.6	226.1	222.6	222.8	202.1
Machinery and Equipment (8)	166.0	166.1	164.1	163.4	162.3	160.8	163.7	165.5	160.0	127.0
Pulp and Paper (6)	34.3	34.6	37.8	36.9	36.7	35.6	36.7	36.0	38.6	20.8
Milling (4)	119.3	118.6	117.9	117.8	119.0	120.6	119.3	120.0	120.3	85.9
Oils (4)	229.9	231.0	230.2	230.6	232.5	232.5	231.1	228.1	230.1	247.8
Textiles and Clothing (10)	78.6	78.2	78.3	78.5	78.0	78.8	79.4	78.5	78.8	72.8
Food and Allied Products (13)	189.4	188.6	190.7	189.3	189.1	191.1	189.9	187.2	184.4	159.6
Beverages (7)	139.5	138.4	137.4	138.1	139.1	139.3	138.7	138.6	141.4	150.6
Building Materials (14)	205.5	206.6	205.4	205.8	205.4	204.8	205.6	201.2	199.4	136.4
Industrials Mines (2)	554.2	555.7	549.4	559.8	573.7	583.3	572.8	552.7	548.5	424.7
19 UTILITIES	72.8	72.8	72.9	73.9	73.7	73.8	73.5	72.4	69.2	57.9
Transportation (2)	41.2	41.4	41.2	41.4	41.4	41.7	41.4	41.4	39.4	36.6
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	127.8	127.4	127.3	127.2	126.0	126.6	126.7	126.9	122.1	113.1
Power and Traction (15)	96.6	96.6	97.0	98.9	98.7	98.7	98.1	95.9	91.8	71.5
9 BANKS	96.9	96.8	96.8	96.9	96.8	96.8	96.8	97.3	96.6	83.3
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	175.4	174.5	173.2	173.8	175.2	175.8	174.7	175.1	177.9	150.2
Gold Stocks (21)	140.1	139.6	138.5	138.5	138.0	137.4	138.5	140.3	139.6	130.4
Base Metals (3)	321.1	318.5	316.4	319.7	329.0	334.4	328.3	318.6	337.6	231.5
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	114.7	114.9	114.9	114.6	114.6	114.5	114.7	116.3	117.7	115.0
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	69.4	68.9	68.9	69.7	69.7	69.8	69.4	66.7	64.6	70.8
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.8965	4.8952	4.8965	4.8990	4.8965	4.8965	4.8967	4.8961	4.9126	4.9861
U.S. dollars	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0007	.9988
French franc	.0466	.0466	.0466	.0466	.0466	.0466	.0466	.0467	.0467	.0667
Belgian belga	.1688	.1686	.1687	.1688	.1687	.1687	.1687	.1688	.1687	.1701
Netherlands florin	-	.5444	.5456	.5467	.5466	.5469	.5460	.5470	.5479	.6836
Japanese yen	.2856	.2858	.2855	.2855	.2855	.2855	.2856	.2854	.2882	.2908
Australian pound	3.9172	3.9162	3.9172	3.9192	3.9170	3.9170	3.9173	3.9169	3.9301	3.9888
Argentine peso - free rate	-	-	.3011	.3006	.3008	.3007	.3008	.3061	.3033	.2747

x Bank of Canada.

(1926=100)

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES					
Number of Securities 1937	Total 68	Machinery and Equipment 8	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 4	Oils 4	Textiles and Clothing 10	Food and Allied Products 13	Beverages 7	Building Materials 14	Industrial Mines 2	Total 19	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 15	Banks 9	Grand Total 96
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	432.5	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	281.1	591.3	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	131.7	198.3
Low	199.3	184.7	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	179.1	256.2	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	116.7	134.6
x 1933 - High	129.2	99.8	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	84.9	190.0	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	81.1	82.5
Low	56.0	39.2	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	44.3	74.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	63.1	43.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	126.5	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	104.1	242.2	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	75.2	83.1
Low	111.8	78.2	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	79.5	187.0	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	64.4	69.5
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.7	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	118.0	377.9	52.4	33.4	100.4	67.6	79.8	98.8
- Low	123.7	109.1	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	102.6	193.3	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	75.3	75.7
x 1936 - High	226.1	142.3	31.9	115.4	254.5	76.5	182.9	152.6	192.0	553.9	64.7	37.6	121.7	84.5	84.5	122.6
Low	180.2	102.0	16.5	79.5	216.5	65.6	145.2	122.8	123.6	371.2	50.6	28.1	108.8	63.2	76.6	98.6
1936																
January	187.7	118.2	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	127.3	387.2	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	78.6	112.9
February	200.0	125.0	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	135.4	418.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	82.6	120.7
March	194.8	122.2	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	131.7	416.3	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	79.6	117.4
April	194.2	114.3	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	134.1	401.8	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	77.5	115.9
May	187.9	108.0	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	128.6	394.8	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	77.7	112.8
June	189.3	106.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	77.8	113.8
July	190.1	102.4	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	425.5	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	77.2	114.3
August	191.4	103.0	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	79.0	114.7
September	200.6	113.6	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	149.7	488.1	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	79.7	119.5
October	212.3	127.3	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	162.6	519.3	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	80.6	126.9
November	219.9	140.4	27.5	107.0	233.4	74.4	179.6	143.6	178.3	546.2	62.4	34.6	116.5	81.8	84.5	131.8
December	212.8	139.4	29.7	112.5	215.4	73.5	182.3	145.3	181.9	540.0	62.8	34.6	120.4	82.1	87.7	129.2
1937																
January	222.0	156.3	37.2	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	94.4	137.4
Weekly Index Numbers																
February 20, 1936	202.1	127.0	20.8	85.9	247.8	72.8	159.6	150.6	136.4	424.7	57.9	36.6	113.1	71.5	83.3	122.7
1937																
January 7th	221.0	149.6	35.2	114.1	228.7	75.2	183.3	140.5	194.8	546.9	67.6	38.1	121.6	89.6	91.4	136.1
January 14th	222.6	150.8	36.7	115.4	230.1	76.5	184.1	141.3	196.9	553.9	68.8	38.3	121.8	91.8	94.1	137.7
January 21st	222.8	160.0	38.6	120.3	230.1	78.8	184.4	141.4	199.4	548.5	69.2	39.4	122.1	91.8	96.6	138.1
January 28th	221.9	162.8	38.6	123.0	229.4	78.9	185.2	141.1	198.0	544.3	69.2	38.9	122.4	92.2	96.8	137.8
February 4th	222.5	161.0	38.6	120.2	228.7	78.8	185.0	140.2	198.6	553.4	71.2	41.3	125.9	93.8	96.8	139.0
February 11th	222.6	165.5	36.0	120.0	228.1	78.5	187.2	138.6	201.2	552.7	72.4	41.4	126.9	95.9	97.3	139.5
February 18th	226.1	163.7	36.7	119.3	231.1	79.4	189.9	138.7	205.6	572.8	73.5	41.4	126.7	98.1	96.8	141.4

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, FEBRUARY 19-25
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Price movements varied widely among industrial and utility groups during the past week, but the predominant tendency was upward on a slightly broader trading volume. The industrial section was dominated by the exceptional performance of the two industrial mines, International Nickel and Consolidated Smelters. The oils paced by International Petroleum, and Dominion Steel and Coal added strength to the industrials which far outweighed weakness in Textiles, Foods and Beverages. Utilities under the leadership of Brazilian Power and Traction advanced into new ground, only part of which was held as the week closed. Declines predominated among the Bank issues. The Investors' price index number of common stocks advanced from 141.4 to 146.3 between the weeks ended February 18 and 25. The Industrial section mounted from 226.1 to 236.2, while Utilities moved up from 73.5 to 74.5.

MINING STOCK PRICES

The unusual rise of base metals in the preceding week was made to look comparatively insignificant by the precipitous advance which continued unchecked until February 22. After a sharp reaction, these issues immediately resumed their rise on the following day and closed strong on February 25. The base metal index mounted almost 18 p.c. between the 15th and 22nd, in line with the feverish activity in London base metal commodity markets. Senior gold stocks also turned upward in the latter part of the week, erasing much of the gradual decline which commenced about the beginning of the month. The more speculative gold issues were less firm, and trading was of moderate proportions. Despite closing strength the weekly average index for golds moved lower from 138.5 to 137.5 between the weeks ending February 18 and 25. Base metals, however, advanced from 328.3 to 356.5, and the general mining index rose from 174.7 to 180.0.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices declined from 114.7 for the week ending February 18 to 114.6 for the week ending February 25. The market was apparently influenced to some extent by weakness in London. A slight rally occurred at the week-end and gains of ¼ were reported for several maturities. Among them were the Perpetual 3's which of late have been among the most active of the major issues. A softer tone developed on Tuesday the 23rd and continued for the balance of the week. Most Eastern Provincials finished steady, although there was some slight shading. Westerns closed firmer with gains of 2 to 4 points fairly common.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 69.4 to 69.6 during the week. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.33 as compared with 3.31 for last week and 3.35 for the corresponding week of last year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

The Canadian dollar has exhibited independent strength recently, moving against sterling and the French franc, and wiping out the small premium on New York funds which had persisted almost continuously since the beginning of the year. Reactions to the British Government's informal request that investments of London funds in New York security markets be curtailed, were watched with interest. A weak tendency in sterling exchange has been in evidence since the middle of February, although losses in that interval have aggregated less than one cent with Montreal rates on sterling now standing at $4.89.

Dates	February 19	20	22	23	24	25	Weekly Average February 19-25	Preceding Weekly Average February 12-18	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	145.5	146.6	148.7	144.6	146.2	146.3	146.3	141.4	137.8	122.5
68 INDUSTRIALS	234.2	235.8	241.2	233.3	235.9	236.5	236.2	226.1	221.9	201.1
Machinery and Equipment (8)	160.8	161.8	163.1	161.1	161.3	162.1	161.7	163.7	162.8	127.3
Pulp and Paper (6)	35.6	35.4	36.4	36.1	36.9	36.9	36.4	36.7	38.6	20.0
Milling (4)	121.2	121.2	122.1	121.3	122.0	122.0	121.7	119.3	123.0	85.6
Oils (4)	234.0	235.4	243.4	235.7	237.9	239.4	237.6	231.1	229.4	245.2
Textiles and Clothing (10)	78.6	78.5	78.0	77.2	77.5	77.2	77.8	79.4	78.9	74.3
Food and Allied Products (15)	190.6	190.4	189.5	189.0	189.0	190.2	189.7	189.9	185.2	160.0
Beverages (7)	140.0	139.9	140.3	139.5	138.7	138.6	139.6	138.7	141.1	152.5
Building Materials (14)	205.6	206.0	211.0	209.8	208.1	208.3	208.8	205.6	198.0	135.5
Industrial Mines (2)	607.4	613.5	625.4	596.9	608.2	607.4	609.7	572.8	544.3	423.9
19 UTILITIES	74.5	75.3	74.9	73.5	74.7	74.2	74.5	73.5	69.2	58.5
Transportation (2)	42.2	42.9	42.9	41.4	41.7	42.8	42.5	41.4	38.9	37.6
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	126.2	125.9	124.8	123.1	124.0	123.9	124.8	126.7	122.4	111.0
Power and Traction (15)	99.6	100.8	100.2	98.9	101.0	99.0	99.9	98.1	92.2	72.4
9 BANKS	96.8	96.9	96.2	96.2	95.4	95.8	96.1	96.8	96.8	83.3
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	178.2	178.1	182.6	178.4	180.6	182.1	180.0	174.7	175.6	150.2
Gold Stocks (21)	137.2	136.1	136.7	136.7	138.2	139.6	137.5	138.5	139.8	129.6
Base Metals (3)	348.0	352.1	372.6	350.8	356.3	358.2	356.5	328.3	321.8	234.8
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	114.7	114.9	114.9	114.7	114.2	114.2	114.6	114.7	117.3	115.1
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	69.5	69.0	69.0	69.5	70.2	70.2	69.6	69.4	65.1	70.7
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.8952	4.8943	4.8937	4.8937	4.8912	4.8900	4.8930	4.8967	4.9058	4.9874
U.S. dollars	1.0003	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0001	1.0003	1.0006	.9990
French franc	.0466	.0466	.0466	.0465	.0465	.0465	.0466	.0466	.0467	.0667
Belgian belga	.1687	.1686	.1687	.1686	.1686	.1685	.1686	.1687	.1686	.1702
Netherlands florin	.5470	.5472	.5476	.5472	.5472	.5474	.5473	.5460	.5478	.6857
Japanese yen	.2856	.2855	.2957	.2854	.2853	.2851	.2871	.2856	.2858	.2902
Australian pound	3.9162	3.9154	3.9150	3.9150	3.9130	3.9120	3.9144	3.9173	3.9247	3.9899
Argentine peso - free rate	.3001	-	-	.2992	.2995	.2985	.2993	.3008	.2994	.2748

x Bank of Canada.

INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY-FOUR MINING STOCKS
(1926=100)

Number of Stocks 1937	Gold 21	Base Metals 3	Total Index 24
x1928 - High	137.2	322.2	138.6
Low	75.4	105.7	107.3
x1929 - High	89.7	318.0	127.9
Low	52.7	157.3	72.6
x1930 - High	66.7	203.1	88.3
Low	53.3	56.4	56.7
x1931 - High	79.5	108.3	85.4
Low	54.4	49.9	54.8
x1932 - High	63.1	82.3	64.8
Low	48.5	42.5	46.8
x1933 - High	111.9	144.1	116.7
Low	64.9	68.2	65.1
x1934 - High	140.1	167.6	143.3
Low	103.1	125.0	107.3
x1935 - High	131.2	211.7	136.7
Low	104.7	128.6	114.9
x1936 - High	136.2	322.1	170.3
Low	118.3	205.5	135.4
1936			
January	124.8	214.8	142.4
February	130.2	230.4	149.8
March	122.7	232.2	144.2
April	122.8	241.1	145.8
May	128.9	239.2	150.3
June	134.4	246.0	156.1
July	134.4	254.1	157.6
August	132.6	264.0	158.1
September	131.2	267.1	157.6
October	126.4	289.4	158.2
November	131.8	312.5	167.0
December	131.3	317.8	167.7
1937			
January	137.5	329.6	174.6
Weekly Index Numbers			
1937			
Week ending January 7th	135.8	322.3	172.1
" " " 14th	137.1	332.4	175.2
" " " 21st	139.6	337.6	177.9
" " " 28th	139.8	321.8	175.6
" " February 4th	141.3	321.6	176.4
" " " 11th	140.3	318.6	175.1
" " " 18th	138.5	328.3	174.7
" " " 25th	137.5	356.5	180.0

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, FEBRUARY 26-MARCH 4
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Gains continued to overshadow losses among industrials during the week ended March 4, but utilities suffered a moderate reaction, which was the first of the current year. Trading again increased in volume, although a few of last week's leaders including International Nickel and Consolidated Smelters turned over in smaller volume. The general movement of industrials held steadily upward until the final day of the week, when a reaction of moderate proportions developed. The earlier advance was led by implement stocks and the oils among which Imperial Oil was the chief centre of attraction. It was shared, however, by all industrial sub-groups which registered net gains ranging from one to ten points. Moderate declines among power issues and a fractional loss for C.P.R. were mainly responsible for the lower level of utility averages. The Investors' Price index advanced from 146.3 to 148.2 between the weeks ended February 25 and March 4. The industrial section mounted from 236.2 to 241.9, overbalancing the decrease in Utilities from 74.5 to 73.3.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Trading interest in mines has tapered off to the lowest levels in several months, and prices likewise moved lower for both base metals and gold issues. Activity in western oils, however, reflected the leadership of senior oil issues. Gold stocks of all classes declined slowly throughout the week ended March 4, but the index of gold issues averaged 137.6, or 0.1 higher because losses were small and occurred less rapidly than gains in the latter part of the week preceding. The base metals behaved in an extremely erratic manner, dropping from 358.2 on February 25 to 342.7 on March 1, then rallying to 352.4 on March 3, and finally falling back to 346.3 on March 4. The average index for the week was 347.7 as compared with 356.5 for the preceding week. The general index for mines dropped from 180.0 to 178.3

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices declined further from 114.6 for the week ending February 25 to 113.9 for the week ending March 4. Turnover was light at the first of the week and losses were scattered. A slightly better tone appeared on Tuesday but weakness again set in and declines of ½ to ⅛ were general by the end of the week. Prominent among the issues to be most affected were the Perpetual 3's which dipped to a new low of 89 1/8. Eastern Provincials were slightly easier but Westerns were firm and advances ranging up to 4 points were reported for several of the Alberta issues.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields mounted from 69.6 to 70.8. The average yield of the issues included was 3.39 as compared with 3.33 for the previous week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Both the £ sterling and the French franc have been subject to pressure during the first week of March, with gold commencing to move from London to New York again in considerable volume. The franc declined on February 27, when it was charged in the French Chamber of Deputies that the Bank of France was losing large quantities of gold. This was denied and the adherence of France to the tripartite gold agreement re-affirmed. Ninety day rates on the franc at New York have recently been at a discount of 12 and 13 points. New York funds at Montreal returned to par on March 3, removing a premium of 1/32 of one p.c. It is of interest to note that a recent official release on Canada's International balance of payments has revealed a strong underlying position for the dollar.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	FEBRUARY 26	FEBRUARY 27	MARCH 1	MARCH 2	MARCH 3	MARCH 4	Weekly Average Feb.26-Mar.4	Preceding Weekly Average February 19-25	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	146.2	146.5	147.7	148.9	149.6	148.4	148.2	146.3	139.0	122.7
68 INDUSTRIALS	236.9	237.8	240.4	243.7	245.0	242.8	241.9	236.2	222.5	202.2
Machinery and Equipment (8)	163.4	164.6	165.1	167.0	169.2	169.1	167.1	161.7	161.0	125.9
Pulp and Paper (6)	36.7	36.7	36.6	36.5	36.9	38.0	37.1	36.4	38.6	19.9
Milling (4)	122.5	122.0	121.6	122.5	123.6	123.7	123.0	121.7	120.2	85.7
Oils (4)	240.8	244.7	250.3	253.9	254.5	249.4	249.7	237.6	229.7	247.9
Textiles and Clothing (10)	77.8	78.0	77.9	78.5	79.7	80.0	79.4	77.8	78.8	75.4
Food and Allied Products (13)	191.4	191.0	191.6	192.0	192.2	192.7	191.9	189.7	185.0	158.4
Beverages (7)	140.4	139.9	139.0	141.2	139.6	139.8	139.9	139.6	140.2	149.1
Building Materials (14)	207.4	206.9	206.3	206.8	210.1	213.6	210.4	208.8	198.6	135.4
Industrials Mines (2)	605.1	601.9	604.5	614.2	619.2	616.6	610.9	609.7	553.4	426.2
19 UTILITIES	73.7	73.3	73.6	72.9	73.2	72.6	73.3	74.5	71.2	58.0
Transportation (2)	42.6	42.1	42.4	42.1	42.6	42.4	42.5	42.5	41.3	36.6
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	123.9	124.4	124.6	124.1	123.8	123.8	123.9	124.8	125.9	111.6
Power and Traction (15)	98.0	97.6	98.0	96.7	96.9	96.0	97.3	99.9	93.8	72.0
9 BANKS	95.7	95.9	95.9	96.2	96.4	96.3	96.1	96.1	96.8	82.8
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	180.1	179.2	177.6	177.9	179.1	177.0	178.3	180.0	176.4	148.6
Gold Stocks (21)	139.0	138.7	137.7	137.7	137.3	136.1	137.6	137.5	141.3	127.7
Base Metals (3)	350.7	347.1	342.7	344.4	352.4	346.3	347.7	356.5	321.6	234.5
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	114.1	113.9	113.9	113.9	113.9	113.6	113.9	114.6	116.3	115.5
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	70.4	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	71.5	70.8	69.6	66.5	70.0
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x]-NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.8887	4.8887	4.8902	4.8915	4.8900	4.8850	4.8890	4.8930	4.8989	4.9885
U.S. dollars	1.0000	1.0000	1.0003	1.0003	1.0000	1.0000	1.0001	1.0001	1.0003	.9994
French franc	.0465	.0465	.0465	.0465	.0465	.0465	.0465	.0466	.0466	.0667
Belgian belga	.1684	.1684	.1685	.1686	.1685	.1685	.1685	.1686	.1687	.1703
Netherlands florin	.5475	.5476	.5475	.5477	.5475	.5475	.5476	.5473	.5477	.6867
Japanese yen	.2851	.2852	.2852	.2852	.2852	.2850	.2852	.2871	.2854	.2900
Australian pound	3.9110	3.9110	3.9122	3.9132	3.9120	3.9080	3.9112	3.9144	3.9191	3.9909
Argentine peso - free rate	.2985	-	.3008	.3001	.2995	.2995	.2997	.2993	.3004	.2756

x Bank of Canada.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1929-1937.

(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6	117.7
February	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0	115.3
March	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5	-
April	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7	-
May	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9	-
June	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0	-
July	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0	-
August	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1	-
September	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1	-
October	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1	-
November	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6	-
December	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1929-1937.

(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4	64.6
February	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8	68.4
March	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9	-
April	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.3	72.2	69.5	-
May	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8	-
June	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9	-
July	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1	-
August	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2	-
September	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1	-
October	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2	-
November	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1	-
December	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO POPULAR BOND ISSUES, 1929-1937.

(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.3	76.2	85.5	70.4
February	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6	74.3
March	101.3	101.3	95.0	110.6	100.0	90.2	79.5	77.3	-
April	103.3	101.3	95.0	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5	-
May	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6	-
June	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3	-
July	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0	-
August	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2	-
September	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	88.3	69.9	-
October	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2	-
November	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	71.8	-
December	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	82.7	69.7	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BONDS, 1936-1937.[x]

Date		Prices	Yields
Dec.	4	117.9	64.6
	11	118.0	64.5
	18	118.5	63.6
	25	118.3	63.9
Jan.	8	118.4	63.9
+	14	118.0	64.3
	21	117.7	64.6
	28	117.3	65.1
Feb.	4	116.3	66.5
	11	116.3	66.7
	18	114.7	69.4
	25	114.6	69.6
Mar.	4	113.9	70.8

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.
+ Change to week ending Thursday.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, MARCH 5 - MARCH 11
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Earlier selective gains in industrial common stocks were overshadowed by a idespread reaction in prices on Thursday, March 11. This was shared also by utilities hich had been moving gradually lower since the final week of February, while market aders in the industrial section were making spectacular advances during this period. e Thursday decline was most severe among the Industrial mines and Oils and it occurred on an unusually narrow volume of trading, although market interest earlier in the week d been the most active since January. Prior to Thursday, noteworthy strength had been parent in Consolidated Smelters, the steels, and the implement issues. In spite of e late reaction weekly averages outside of the utility field registered advances. e Investors' index mounted from 148.2 to 149.5 between the weeks ended March 4 and 11, e rise in Industrials from 241.9 to 245.4, more than balancing a decline in Utilities om 73.3 to 72.4.

MINING STOCK PRICES

With trading interest remaining at a low ebb, prices for mining stocks conued to lose ground. Sharp rises in base metal prices produced only spasmodic strength base metal issues which recorded a net loss for the week due to a precipitate decline Thursday, March 11. Weekly averages, however, showed a slight increase. Western ls were also affected by the recession, while gold stocks declined without interruption. e gold group has been moving steadily lower since February 25. The weekly index of ning stock prices dropped from 178.3 to 174.8 between the weeks ended March 4 and rch 11. This was due to a decline in the gold section from 137.6 to 133.1, which erbalanced a fractional increase in base metals from 347.7 to 348.0.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term nd prices, on the base 1926=100, fell from 113.9 for the week ending March 4 to 113.3 r the week ending March 11. This represented a drop of 5.1 from the beginning of the ar. The general movement throughout the week was downward although a slight check curred towards the close when gains of $\frac{1}{4}$ were shown by some issues. Perpetual 3's pped to a new low in early trading on Wednesday but later regained some of this loss. ong the Provincials the tendency was toward lower levels in the majority of issues th weakness especially apparent among the Albertas. British Consols declined from $\frac{1}{4}$ to 76 1/8.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 70.8 to .2. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.46 as compared with 39 for the week preceding.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

A sudden break in the French franc on March 5 and 6 dislodged it from a sition centring around 4.65 cents, and Montreal rates touched 4.54 cents on the latter te before recovery occurred. This has been stimulated by the restoration of free los and purchases of gold by the Bank of France, enabling holders of capital abroad to ke devaluation profits by repatriating foreign balances. The franc was subsequently ught heavily and presumably the gold stocks of the French Stabilisation Fund increased. erling rates moved in sympathy with the franc during the week, although fluctuations re relatively much narrower. New York funds at Montreal remained at par throughout e week ending March 11.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	MARCH 5	6	8	9	10	11	Weekly Average March 5-11	Preceding Weekly Average Feb.26-Mar.4	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	149.2	150.1	150.2	149.5	150.3	147.1	149.5	148.2	139.5	118.5
68 INDUSTRIALS	244.4	245.6	246.4	245.3	247.3	241.7	245.4	241.9	222.6	195.2
Machinery and Equipment (8)	170.0	170.2	169.3	168.0	170.3	167.8	169.3	167.1	165.5	123.1
Pulp and Paper (6)	38.4	38.4	38.0	39.0	38.6	37.7	38.5	37.1	36.0	19.6
Milling (4)	125.5	127.1	128.6	130.6	130.6	129.8	128.3	123.0	120.0	89.6
Oils (4)	250.9	251.2	250.9	247.9	249.5	243.1	249.3	249.7	228.1	237.9
Textiles and Clothing (10)	79.9	79.2	79.8	81.0	81.5	80.8	80.4	79.4	78.5	73.7
Food and Allied Products (13)	192.1	192.6	192.1	192.3	190.5	188.6	191.4	191.9	157.2	154.8
Beverages (7)	140.6	140.0	139.2	141.4	141.8	141.8	141.0	139.9	138.6	141.6
Building Materials (14)	214.5	217.8	217.1	215.2	217.0	213.5	216.2	210.4	201.2	133.0
Industrial Mines (2)	621.2	627.0	633.7	632.6	640.3	624.0	631.8	610.9	552.7	412.4
19 UTILITIES	72.8	73.6	72.9	72.5	72.3	70.8	72.4	73.3	72.4	55.7
Transportation (2)	42.9	43.6	42.6	42.1	41.6	39.9	41.9	42.5	41.4	33.9
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	124.4	124.7	125.1	125.0	125.9	127.6	125.6	123.9	126.9	111.[illegible]
Power and Traction (15)	95.8	96.9	96.1	95.6	95.5	93.6	95.5	97.3	95.9	69.7
9 BANKS	96.6	96.6	96.7	96.3	96.3	96.4	96.4	96.1	97.3	81.5
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	175.6	175.4	176.5	174.7	175.1	172.4	17[illegible].8	178.3	175.1	144.8
Gold Stocks (21)	135.1	134.4	134.2	133.0	132.6	131.1	133.1	137.6	140.3	123.8
Base Metals (3)	343.3	345.4	351.5	347.5	351.9	343.2	348.0	347.7	318.6	230.9
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	113.5	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.2	113.1	11[illegible].[illegible]	113.9	116.3	115.4
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	71.6	71.9	71.9	72.0	72.7	72.8	72.3	70.[illegible]	66.[illegible]	70.2
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.8800	4.8788	4.8793	4.8832	4.8830	4.8835	4.8813	4.8890	4.8961	4.9839
U.S. dollars	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0001	1.0003	1.0002
French franc	.0464	.0454	.0456	.0457	.0457	.0458	.0458	.0465	.0467	.0665
Belgian belga	.1687	.1688	.1687	.1687	.1686	.1685	.1687	.1685	.1688	.1702
Netherlands florin	.5471	.5472	.5470	.5471	.5471	.5470	.5471	.5476	.5470	.6854
Japanese yen	.2847	.2855	.2846	.2848	.2851	.2850	.2850	.2852	.2854	.2907
Australian pound	3.9040	3.9030	3.9034	3.9066	3.9080	3.9068	3.9053	3.9112	3.9169	3.9871
Argentine peso- free rate	.2990	-	.3000	.3005	.3005	.3000	.3000	.2997	.3061	.2754

x Bank of Canada.

EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1936-1937

NOTE: The noon rates in Canadian Funds upon which these averages are based, have been supplied by the Bank of Canada.

Former Gold Parities	New York Funds	London Sterling 4.8666	France Franc .0392 (1)	Belgium Belga .1001	Italy Lira .0526 (2)	Switzerland Franc .1930 (3)	Holland Guilder .4020 (4)	Norway Kroner .2680	Sweden Kroner .2680	Denmark Kroner .2680
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
March	1.0013	4.9783	.0664	.1700	.0800	.3287	.6844	.2501	.2567	.2222
April	1.0047	4.9673	.0662	.1700	.0794	.3273	.6821	.2495	.2561	.2217
May	1.0018	4.9798	.0660	.1697	.0787	.3243	.6780	.2502	.2567	.2223
June	1.0026	5.0388	.0661	.1695	.0789	.3250	.6790	.2529	.2595	.2246
July	1.0008	5.0269	.0663	.1691	.0789	.3275	.6813	.2526	.2591	.2244
August	1.0001	5.0265	.0659	.1686	.0787	.3260	.6791	.2525	.2592	.2244
September	.9997	5.0390	.0647	.1689	.0786	.3174	.6671	.2532	.2598	.2249
October	.9997	4.8972	.0467	.1683	.0545	.2299	.5362	.2460	.2525	.2186
November	.9986	4.8817	.0464	.1688	.0525	.2295	.5392	.2452	.2516	.2179
December	.9993	4.9030	.0466	.1688	.0526	.2297	.5451	.2463	.2528	.2189
1937 - January...	1.0003	4.9092	.0467	.1687	.0526	.2294	.5477	.2467	.2531	.2192
February .	1.0002	4.8953	.0466	.1687	.0526	.2284	.5470	.2460	.2524	.2185

Former Gold Parities	Spain Peseta .1930	Czecho-Slovakie Koruna .0296 (5)	Argentine Peso (Paper) .4244 Unofficial	Australia (Pound) 4.8666	Brazil Milreis .1196 Unofficial	Germany Reichs-mark .2382	India Rupee .3650	China (Shanghai) Dollar	Japan Yen .4985	Union of S. Africa (Pound) 4.8666	New Zealand (Pound) 4.8666
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
March	.1377	.0418	.2753	3.9827	.0567	.4050	.3756	.2989	.2900	4.9721	4.0151
April	.1373	.0416	.2758	3.9735	.0569	.4043	.3749	.2988	.2902	4.9590	4.0059
May	.1367	.0415	.2758	3.9838	.0561	.4036	.3757	.2979	.2912	4.9736	4.0159
June	.1369	.0415	.2770	4.0262	.0568	.4038	.3797	.3001	.2948	5.0265	4.0587
July	.1373	.0416	.2729	4.0215	.0578	.4036	.3792	.3000	.2935	5.0206	4.0539
August.....	.1365	.0415	.2778	4.0210	.0584	.4023	.3794	.3007	.2941	5.0202	4.0538
September	.1365	.0413	.2833	4.0312	.0589	.4010	.3810	.2999	.2946	5.0327	4.0637
October	-	.0365	.2772	3.9178	.0585	.4019	.3698	.2938	.2860	4.8911	3.9488
November	-	.0354	.2765	3.9054	.0585	.4017	.3686	.2949	.2849	4.8760	3.9368
December	-	.0352	.2975	3.8820	.0594	.4019	.3706	.2954	.2849	4.8964	3.9528
1937 - January ...	-	.0350	.3024	3.9273	.0609	.4024	.3711	.2970	.2855	4.9031	3.9591
February .	-	.0349	.3003	3.9162	.0611	.4023	.3699	.2964	.2854	4.8892	3.9485

(1) French franc devalued September 26 - New Gold content temporarily established between 43 to 49 milligrammes. (2) Italian lira devalued by 40.93 p.c. October 5. (3) Swiss franc devalued September 26 - No value fixed but held temporarily at a rate within 10 p.c. of its former nominal dollar parity. (4) Holland abandoned gold standard September 26 - No definite stabilization level for the Dutch guilder yet established. (5) Czecho-Slovakian crown devalued October 8 by 13.3 p.c. to 18.7 p.c. over and above the 16 2/3 p.c. devaluation of February 1934.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, MARCH 19-MARCH 25
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

A five day decline in industrial and utility common stock prices culminated on Monday, March 22, in a day of pronounced recession when Canadian markets reacted to the second sharp break in New York prices within a week's time. The volume of trading increased as the decline progressed, although at the peak on Monday, it was little above the average for the past three months. On Tuesday moderate recovery occurred on lighter sales, but during the two following days an unsteady tone prevailed and market averages showed fractional losses. Practically all groups shared in the decline terminating on Monday, while the Machinery and Equipment and Industrial Mines groups led in the subsequent recovery. Oils moved steadily lower, resuming a decline which commenced in the opening days of March. Losses during the current month have largely wiped out the substantial gains made in February. The Investors' index of industrial and utility common stock prices fell from 147.1 to 143.2 between the weeks ended March 18 and 25. Industrials dropped from 242.2 to 235.4, and Utilities from 70.4 to 68.3.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Irregular declines in gold stocks resulted in the loss of last week's meagre gains and placed gold price averages at the lowest levels of the year. Base metals moved erratically, following the lead of related commodity markets. At first they receded sharply, but later recovered much of earlier losses, as prices turned upward on the London Metal Exchange. The market was unsteady again, however, as the week closed. The general mining stock index dropped from 172.0 for the week of March 18, to 170.0 for the week ended March 25. The gold section averaged fractionally lower, declining from 132.6 to 132.3, while Base Metals fell from 335.8 to 325.6.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, declined from 112.7 for the week ending March 18 to 112.4 for the week ending March 25. Little change occurred in price levels during the first part of the week and trading was very light, but toward the close a better inquiry appeared as resumption of institutional buying was reported. Provincials were mixed. With the exception of Manitobas, which were firm, Westerns were steady to soft with the losses ranging up to 2 points. British Consols closed 1/8 down and the Dow-Jones average of United States high-grade bonds moved fractionally lower.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields rose from 73.2 to 73.7 during the week. The average yield of the six issues used in this index was 3.53 as compared with 3.51 for the last week and 3.27 for the corresponding week of last year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

A very slight downward drift during the week ended March 25 in Montreal rates on sterling and United States funds reflected the continued strength of the Canadian dollar. The French franc was firm again after its short reaction on March 17, with rates holding close to 4.59 cents. Ninety day rates on the franc are now being quoted at a discount of approximately 8 points as compared with 12 to 14 points at the beginning of March. Recent despatches from Tokyo mentioned the possibility of yen stabilization without further devaluation. Since the Japanese Government took steps to protect the position of the yen at the beginning of the year, rates have moved narrowly around 28.5 cents.

Dates	19	20	22	MARCH 23	24	25	Weekly Average March 19 - 25	Preceding Weekly Average March 12 - 18	Corresponding Weekly Average LastMonth	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	144.4	144.4	141.7	143.3	143.2	143.0	143.2	147.1	146.3	118.7
68 INDUSTRIALS	237.7	237.4	233.0	235.5	235.4	235.0	235.4	242.2	236.2	197.4
Machinery and Equipment (8)	166.9	168.2	163.9	170.2	169.7	167.4	167.8	166.9	161.7	119.7
Pulp and Paper (6)	37.9	40.0	39.8	40.9	40.5	41.2	40.1	37.8	36.4	18.5
Milling (4)	125.9	128.6	128.3	128.2	126.7	126.7	127.5	126.0	121.7	91.7
Oils (4)	240.7	240.8	238.2	237.6	237.1	235.9	237.4	244.5	237.6	242.9
Textiles and Clothing (10)	80.1	79.9	79.1	80.1	80.9	80.7	80.6	81.1	77.8	71.3
Food and Allied Products (13)	186.4	187.9	186.1	186.9	187.4	186.2	186.7	188.4	189.7	151.2
Beverages (7)	142.3	141.6	138.9	140.1	139.5	138.8	140.0	144.2	139.6	139.2
Building Materials (14)	208.9	209.5	208.5	208.9	209.3	209.4	208.9	211.9	208.8	133.2
Industrials Mines (2)	607.6	604.0	586.6	599.9	601.0	602.3	597.2	623.2	609.7	418.8
19 UTILITIES	68.8	68.9	67.3	68.6	68.6	68.4	68.3	70.4	74.5	54.5
Transportation (2)	37.9	38.1	35.7	36.9	37.1	37.7	36.9	39.6	42.5	32.6
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	123.5	123.4	122.2	122.6	122.4	122.1	123.0	124.0	124.8	110.1
Power and Traction (15)	91.9	91.9	90.7	92.5	92.3	91.5	91.8	93.6	99.9	68.5
9 BANKS	95.4	95.5	95.4	95.1	94.6	94.7	94.9	96.2	96.1	78.8
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	171.0	170.8	168.0	170.5	171.0	168.5	170.0	172.0	180.0	143.2
Gold Stocks (21)	133.6	133.2	131.6	131.9	132.7	130.9	132.3	132.6	137.5	121.2
Base Metals (3)	325.6	326.7	318.2	330.4	329.7	324.1	325.6	335.8	356.5	233.5
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	112.3	112.3	112.4	112.4	112.3	112.6	112.4	112.7	114.6	115.9
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	73.8	73.8	73.6	73.6	73.7	73.2	73.7	73.2	69.6	69.2
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.8816	4.8804	4.8785	4.8797	4.8791	4.8791	4.8797	4.8821	4.8930	4.9729
U.S. dollars	.9991	.9991	.9991	.9989	.9988	.9986	.9989	.9993	1.0001	1.0024
French franc	.0459	.0459	.0459	.0459	.0459	.0458	.0459	.0459	.0466	.0663
Belgium belga	.1682	.1682	.1682	.1682	.1682	.1682	.1682	.1683	.1686	.1699
Netherlands florin	.5463	.5465	.5465	.5465	.5465	.5464	.5465	.5462	.5473	.6837
Japanese yen	.2847	.2849	.2846	.2847	.2846	.2845	.2847	.2848	.2871	.2894
Australian pound	3.9053	3.9043	3.9028	3.9037	3.9033	3.9025	3.9037	3.9058	3.9144	3.9783
Argentine peso - free rate	.2997	-	.2997	.2997	.2996	.2996	.2997	.2996	.2993	.2747

x Bank of Canada

INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY-FOUR MINING STOCKS
(1926=100)

Number of Stocks 1937	Gold 21	Base Metals 3	Total Index 24
x1928 - High	137.2	322.2	138.6
Low	75.4	105.7	107.3
x1929 - High	89.7	318.0	127.9
Low	52.7	157.3	72.6
x1930 - High	66.7	203.1	88.3
Low	53.3	56.4	56.7
x1931 - High	79.5	108.3	85.4
Low	54.4	49.9	54.8
x1932 - High	63.1	82.3	64.8
Low	48.5	42.5	46.8
x1933 - High	111.9	144.1	116.7
Low	64.9	68.2	65.1
x1934 - High	140.1	167.6	143.3
Low	103.1	125.0	107.3
x1935 - High	131.2	211.7	136.7
Low	104.7	128.6	114.9
x1936 - High	136.2	382.1	170.3
Low	118.3	205.5	135.4
1936			
January	124.8	214.8	142.4
February	130.2	230.4	149.8
March	122.7	232.2	144.2
April	122.8	241.1	145.8
May	128.9	239.2	150.3
June	134.4	246.0	156.1
July	134.4	254.1	157.6
August	132.6	264.0	158.1
September	131.2	267.1	157.6
October	126.4	289.4	158.2
November	131.8	312.5	167.0
December	131.3	317.8	167.7
1937			
January	137.5	329.6	174.6
February	139.4	344.8	177.2
Weekly Index Numbers			
1937			
Week ending February 4th	141.3	321.6	176.4
" " " 11th	140.3	318.6	175.1
" " " 18th	138.5	328.3	174.7
" " " 25th	137.5	356.5	180.0
" " March 4th	137.6	347.7	178.3
" " " 11th	133.1	348.0	174.8
" " " 18th	132.6	335.8	172.0
" " " 25th	132.3	325.6	170.0

x Weekly figures.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, MARCH 26-APRIL 1
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Common stock prices opened moderately higher on Tuesday, March 27, after a ree day market holiday, but with the exception of the paper and building material sues, the trend was irregularly lower for the balance of the week. Thursday's close, wever, found most groups still above levels of a week earlier. Power and Traction s the only noteworthy exception, with further gradual declines in this group contin- ng a steady recession which commenced in the fourth week of February. Strength in e Pulp and Paper section was quite pronounced, and gains for the week advanced the dex for these stocks approximately 13 p.c. Industrial Mines, after opening consider- ly higher on Tuesday, lost most of their holiday advance in the next two days. The vestors' general index of common stock prices mounted from 143.2 to 144.4 between e weeks ended March 25 and April 1. Industrials rose from 235.4 to 238.1, while ilities advanced fractionally from 68.3 to 68.6.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Action in the mining section again turned towards base metals which have own irregular recovery from the low point touched on March 22. Price movements in ld stocks were the narrowest since the year began. Gold averages for producing mines e currently at the lowest point reached during the current year. Gold mines which y be termed prospective producers are now considerably below levels of three months o, while the more speculative issues are practically upon a par with early January ices despite much sharper reaction since the beginning of February. The general min- g index dropped from 170.0 for the week of March 25 to 169.5 for the week of April 1. decline in the gold average from 132.2 to 131.1, overbalanced a rise in base metals om 325.6 to 328.9.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long- rm bond prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 112.4 for the week ending March 25 to 2.7 for the week ending April 1. Easter holidays accounted for 3 of the 6 week days d what little trading was done in high grade bonds confirmed the firmer tone apparent the end of the previous week. Conversions moved up ¼ point and Perpetuals, which ve proved quite sensitive, finished ½ point higher. Among the Provincials, quotations re mixed with a number of Westerns showing moderate recessions. British Consols were rm but United States bond prices moved lower.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 73.7 to 3.2 in the same period. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.51 s compared with 3.53 for last week and 3.30 for the corresponding week of last year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Most leading exchanges moved against the Canadian dollar in the closing days f March, cancelling fractional gains made since the middle of the month. Spot rates sterling and the French franc at Montreal registered their first appreciable advances the current year, although gold continued to flow from London to New York, and for- rd francs were weak. Gold shipments also were required to support the position of the panese yen. Earlier advices from Tokyo had mentioned the possibility of stabilizing e yen at approximately its present value.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	* 26	* 27	MARCH * 29	30	31	APRIL 1	Weekly Average Mar.26-Apr.1	Preceding Weekly Average March 19-25	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	-	-	-	144.4	144.9	143.7	144.4	143.2	148.2	118.8
68 INDUSTRIALS	-	-	-	237.8	238.9	237.4	238.1	235.4	241.9	198.0
Machinery and Equipment (8)	-	-	-	170.1	170.1	170.6	170.2	167.8	167.1	118.4
Pulp and Paper (6)	-	-	-	43.9	44.7	46.7	45.1	40.1	37.1	18.6
Milling (4)	-	-	-	127.0	127.0	127.3	127.2	127.5	123.0	91.2
Oils (4)	-	-	-	236.8	240.2	239.3	238.2	237.4	249.7	242.8
Textiles and Clothing (10)	-	-	-	80.5	81.0	81.2	81.0	80.6	79.4	71.0
Food and Allied Products (13)	-	-	-	188.4	187.9	187.2	188.1	186.7	191.9	150.1
Beverages (7)	-	-	-	139.9	140.0	139.1	139.8	140.0	139.9	139.4
Building Materials (14)	-	-	-	213.2	214.4	215.1	214.2	208.9	210.4	133.4
Industrial Mines (2)	-	-	-	613.1	610.9	603.2	610.6	597.2	610.9	423.0
19 UTILITIES	-	-	-	69.0	68.9	67.7	68.6	68.3	73.3	54.3
Transportation (2)	-	-	-	38.6	39.1	37.7	38.5	36.9	42.5	32.4
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	-	-	-	123.4	122.7	122.1	122.3	123.0	123.9	110.4
Power and Traction (15)	-	-	-	91.6	91.0	90.0	90.8	91.8	97.3	68.1
9 BANKS	-	-	-	94.5	94.5	94.3	94.6	94.9	96.1	78.1
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	-	-	-	168.7	170.7	169.8	169.5	170.0	178.3	143.8
Gold Stocks (21)	-	-	-	131.1	131.4	131.0	131.1	132.3	137.6	121.4
Base Metals (3)	-	-	-	324.5	333.7	330.7	328.9	325.6	347.7	236.0
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	-	-	-	112.6	112.7	112.8	112.7	112.4	113.9	115.6
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	-	-	-	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.7	70.8	69.7
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	-	4.8785	-	4.8807	4.8848	4.8904	4.8836	4.8797	4.8890	4.9762
U.S. dollars	-	.9984	-	.9988	.9991	.9991	.9989	.9989	1.0001	1.0048
French franc	-	.0459	-	.0459	.0460	.0460	.0460	.0459	.0465	.0663
Belgian belga	-	.1681	-	.1681	.1682	.1682	.1682	.1682	.1685	.1701
Netherlands florin	-	.5466	-	.5467	.5470	.5470	.5468	.5465	.5476	.6819
Japanese yen	-	.2846	-	.2846	.2847	.2847	.2847	.2847	.2852	.2904
Australian pound	-	3.9029	-	3.9045	3.9078	3.9123	3.9069	3.9037	3.9112	3.9811
Argentine peso - free rate	-	-	-	.2996	.3002	.3012	.3003	.2997	.2997	.2759

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* Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges closed March 26, 27, 29.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, APRIL 2 - 8.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Two sharp breaks in the New York market on April 2 and 7 were accompanied by severe declines on Canadian exchanges which reduced industrial and utility averages to levels very little above those obtaining at the beginning of the year. The first break followed an official warning inthe United States concerning undue advances in prices and in the production of durable goods. The second was precipitated by rumours that the United States Treasury might move to reduce the net price of gold. Partial recovery on April 8 left Canadian stock averages considerably below levels of a week earlier. Paper and construction stocks moved against the declining market at first but were later caught by the substantial wave of selling on Wednesday, April 7, The Investors' general index number of common stocks dropped from 144.4 for the week ended April 1 to 141.3 for the week of April 8. Industrials fell from 238.1 to 232.3, and Utilities from 68.6 to 67.3. Banks likewise moved lower from 94.6 to 94.1.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Sharp declines in both base metals and gold issues have recently carried mining averages to the lowest levels of the current year. Base Metals dropped steadily from 330.7 on April 1 to 306.0 on April 8, failing to steady on the last mentioned day when Industrial Mines turned upward again. The gold issues did not react appreciably until April 7 when the possibility of a lower gold price in the United States brought pronounced weakness. The Bureau's general mining index dropped from 169.5 to 165.9 between the weeks ended April 1 and 8, with Golds falling from 131.1 to 129.0 and Base Metals from 328.9 to 313.9.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, declined from 112.7 for the week ending April 1 to 112.5 for the week ending April 8. Turnover was light and price changes were small and scattered. Interest was centred elsewhere and developments on the New York market, where high grade bonds dropped to new lows for the year, appeared to influence the hesitancy displayed on domestic markets. Canadian Provincials were steady, while British Consols made a slight advance.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields rose from 73.2 to 73.8. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.52 as compared with 3.51 for the previous week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

Intimations on April 7, that the United States net price for gold might be reduced brought a sharp decline in sterling and French francs, although forward positions were not seriously affected. The purpose of such a step presumably would be to check the inflow of gold into the United States, but it was foreseen that an exactly opposite result might occur if holders of large gold stocks in London sought to convert them in anticipation of lower gold prices. The new development had little effect upon Montreal rates for New York funds which remained at a fractional discount.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	APRIL 2	3	5	6	7	8	Weekly Average April 2-8	Preceding Weekly Average Mar.26-Apr.1	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	142.4	142.9	142.5	142.4	138.5	139.7	141.3	144.4	149.6	121.0
68 INDUSTRIALS	235.0	235.7	234.0	234.3	227.2	229.2	232.3	238.1	245.4	202.6
Machinery and Equipment (8)	168.1	169.5	170.6	169.4	166.1	162.2	168.0	170.2	169.3	121.1
Pulp and Paper (6)	45.5	47.1	52.1	52.0	48.2	49.1	50.2	45.1	38.5	18.6
Milling (4)	120.6	120.2	120.9	120.5	119.9	119.6	120.2	127.2	128.3	93.2
Oils (4)	239.1	238.3	237.1	238.1	233.2	234.4	236.7	238.2	249.3	254.5
Textiles and Clothing (10)	81.3	81.5	81.7	82.0	82.2	81.5	81.8	81.0	80.4	71.8
Food and Allied Products (13)	187.8	186.7	186.5	186.0	186.4	185.1	186.3	188.1	191.4	151.5
Beverages (7)	138.6	137.9	138.8	138.6	136.1	135.5	137.4	139.8	141.0	134.2
Building Materials (14)	214.5	215.9	218.1	215.1	211.7	211.0	214.9	214.2	216.2	136.4
Industrial Mines (2)	591.5	596.6	585.3	584.3	558.8	570.1	572.6	610.6	631.8	422.4
19 UTILITIES	67.2	67.6	68.3	67.6	66.2	66.9	67.3	68.6	72.5	54.7
Transportation (2)	37.2	37.7	37.4	36.7	35.4	36.7	36.7	38.5	41.9	33.1
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	122.4	122.3	122.4	122.1	122.1	122.1	122.2	122.3	125.6	109.9
Power and Traction (15)	89.4	89.8	91.5	90.6	88.8	89.0	90.0	90.8	95.6	68.4
9 BANKS	94.1	94.1	94.1	94.1	94.0	94.0	94.1	94.6	96.4	78.7
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	169.5	169.0	168.2	166.7	162.6	160.0	165.9	169.5	174.8	146.3
Gold Stocks (21)	131.2	130.6	130.4	129.9	127.2	124.7	129.0	131.1	133.1	122.2
Base Metals (3)	328.4	327.8	324.5	318.8	308.8	306.0	313.9	328.9	348.0	245.9
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	112.7	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.7	113.3	115.7
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	73.7	73.8	73.8	73.8	73.9	73.9	73.8	73.2	72.2	69.7
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.8896	4.8939	4.8970	4.9011	4.8931	4.8876	4.8937	4.8836	4.8813	4.9728
U.S. dollars	.9991	.9988	.9988	.9988	.9988	.9991	.9989	.9989	1.0000	1.0045
French franc	.0460	.0460	.0460	.0461	.0459	.0455	.0459	.0460	.0458	.0662
Belgian belga	.1682	.1682	.1683	.1683	.1682	.1682	.1682	.1682	.1687	.1700
Netherlands florin	.5470	-	.5468	.5468	.5468	.5467	.5468	.5468	.5471	.6824
Japanese yen	.2848	.2845	.2850	.2853	.2849	.2848	.2849	.2847	.2850	.2902
Australian pound	3.9117	3.9151	3.9176	3.9209	3.9145	3.9101	3.9150	3.9069	3.9053	3.9782
Argentine peso - free rate	.3012	-	.3021	.3026	.3026	.3027	.3022	.3003	.3000	.2760

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[illegible] from which these averages are based, have been supplied by the Bank of Canada.

Former Gold Parities	New York Funds	London Sterling 4.8666	France Franc .0392 (1)	Belgium Belga .1001	Italy Lira .0526 (2)	Switzerland Franc .1930 (3)	Holland Guilder .4020 (4)	Norway Kroner .2680	Sweden Kroner .2680	Denmark Kroner .2680
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
April	1.0047	4.9673	.0662	.1700	.0794	.3273	.6821	.2495	.2561	.2217
May	1.0018	4.9798	.0660	.1697	.0787	.3243	.6780	.2502	.2567	.2223
June	1.0026	5.0328	.0661	.1695	.0789	.3250	.6790	.2529	.2595	.2246
July	1.0008	5.0269	.0663	.1691	.0789	.3275	.6813	.2526	.2591	.2244
August	1.0001	5.0265	.0659	.1686	.0787	.3260	.6791	.2525	.2592	.2244
September	.9997	5.0390	.0647	.1689	.0786	.3174	.6671	.2532	.2598	.2249
October	.9997	4.8972	.0467	.1683	.0545	.2299	.5362	.2460	.2525	.2186
November	.9986	4.8817	.0464	.1688	.0525	.2295	.5392	.2452	.2516	.2179
December	.9993	4.9030	.0466	.1688	.0526	.2297	.5451	.2463	.2528	.2189
1937 - January	1.0003	4.9092	.0467	.1687	.0526	.2294	.5477	.2467	.2531	.2192
February	1.0002	4.8953	.0466	.1687	.0526	.2284	.5470	.2460	.2524	.2185
March	.9995	4.8824	.0460	.1684	.0526	.2278	.5467	.2453	.2517	.2180

Former Gold Parities	Spain Peseta 1930	Czecho-Slovakie Koruna .0296 (5)	Argentine Peso (Paper) .4244 Unofficial	Australia (Pound) 4.8666	Brazil Milreis .1196 Unofficial	Germany Reichs-mark .2382	India Rupee .3650	China (Shanghai) Dollar	Japan Yen .4985	Union of S. Africa (Pound) 4.8666	New Zealand (Pound) 4.8666
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
April	.1373	.0416	.2758	3.9735	.0569	.4043	.3749	.2988	.2902	4.9590	4.0059
May	.1367	.0415	.2758	3.9838	.0561	.4036	.3757	.2979	.2912	4.9736	4.0159
June	.1369	.0415	.2770	4.0262	.0568	.4038	.3797	.3001	.2948	5.0265	4.0587
July	.1373	.0416	.2729	4.0215	.0578	.4036	.3792	.3000	.2935	5.0206	4.0539
August	.1365	.0413	.2778	4.0210	.0584	.4023	.3794	.3007	.2941	5.0202	4.0538
September	.1365	.0413	.2833	4.0312	.0589	.4010	.3810	.2999	.2946	5.0327	4.0637
October	-	.0365	.2772	3.9178	.0585	.4019	.3698	.2938	.2860	4.8911	3.9488
November	-	.0354	.2765	3.9054	.0585	.4017	.3686	.2949	.2849	4.8760	3.9368
December	-	.0352	.2975	3.8820	.0594	.4019	.3706	.2954	.2849	4.8964	3.9528
1937 - January	-	.0350	.3024	3.9273	.0609	.4024	.3711	.2970	.2855	4.9031	3.9591
February	-	.0349	.3003	3.9162	.0611	.4023	.3699	.2964	.2854	4.8892	3.9485
March	-	.0349	.2998	3.9060	.0610	.4019	.3687	.2967	.2848	4.8763	3.9375

(1) French franc devalued September 26 - New Gold content temporarily established between 43 to 49 milligrammes.
(2) Italian lira devalued by 40.93 p.c. October 5. (3) Swiss franc devalued September 26 - No value fixed but held temporarily at a rate within 10 p.c. of its former nominal dollar parity. (4) Holland abandoned gold standard September 26 - No definite stabilization level for the Dutch guilder yet established. (5) Czecho-Slovakian crown devalued October 8 by 13.3 p.c. to 18.7 p.c. over and above the 16 2/3 p.c. devaluation of February, 1934.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, APRIL 9 - 15
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Although Canadian exchanges reflected last week's declines at New York they ave since failed to react to its stronger tone. Canadian industrial and utility aver-ges for the week ended April 15 both broke into new low territory for the recession hich has continued intermittently since the early part of March. The second attempted ally from April 8 to 10 did not hold its ground, although new lows on April 15 were only ractionally under the preceding troughs of April 7. Declines were general with the ost marked weakness occurring in papers, machinery and equipment, and building materials. tilities continued to give way very gradually and are now approximately upon a par with verages at the beginning of the year. The Investors' general index number of common tock prices dropped from 141.3 for the week ended April 8 to 139.4 for the week of pril 15. Industrials moved down from 232.5 to 229.2, while Utilities declined from 7.3 to 66.4.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Further sharp declines in gold and base metal issues carried mining stock price verages to new lows for the current year, during the week ended April 15. The gold roup was depressed by heavy selling and registered a net loss of 4.2 points as uncertainty rose concerning possible reductions in the price of gold. Speculative golds suffered ven more severely. Two attempted rallies in base metals were swept away and no appear-nce of effective resistance was in evidence as the week closed, with the daily base etal index showing a recession of 10.1 between April 8 and 15. For the weeks ending n these dates, the Bureau's general mining stock price index dropped from 165.9 to 57.8. The gold section fell from 129.0 to 122.6 and base metals from 313.9 to 303.5.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term ond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 112.5 for the week ending April 8 to 12.6 for the week ending April 15. This compared with 115.7 for the corresponding week f 1936 and was 5.8 points below the first week of 1937. Prices, generally, were firm nd an improved demand in the closing days carried bids up for gains ranging up to $\frac{3}{4}$ of point. Provincial issues were without feature. British Consols dropped 1/8 during he week but the downward movement of Dow-Jones averages of United States high grade ecurities checked on the 13th and moved moderately higher.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields fell from 73.8 to 73.5. he average yield of the six issues used in this index was 3.51.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

While gold offered at substantial discounts from the official price found no uyers on the London market. French franc quotations suffered the severest decline that as occurred since the franc was devalued last September. On April 12 the French Minister f Finance was quoted as saying that the franc would be allowed to seek its natural level etween the limits set by the decree of October 1, 1936. Since then it has steadied at lightly above 4.45 cents down about 0.15 cents from April 8. Sterling rates at Montreal eanwhile advanced nearly 2 cents to $4.9036, but practically no change occurred in the mall discount on New York funds. Repeated denials from official sources that any change ith respect to gold policy was contemplated by the United States served only partially o reassure the shaken confidence of financial markets. A resumption of the gold flow rom London to New York involved unusually wide profit margins due in part to the view hat the business risk in such transactions had increased.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	APRIL 9	10	12	13	14	15	Weekly Average April 9 - 15	Preceding Weekly Average April 2-8	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	140.0	140.6	139.6	139.7	138.9	138.1	139.4	141.3	147.1	119.0
68 INDUSTRIALS	230.2	231.1	229.7	229.8	227.9	226.8	229.2	232.3	242.2	198.7
Machinery and Equipment (8)	160.6	160.7	158.6	159.6	157.8	155.6	159.0	168.0	166.9	116.2
Pulp and Paper (6)	49.1	49.7	48.4	46.4	45.1	44.6	47.2	50.2	37.8	18.1
Milling (4)	119.5	119.6	119.5	119.1	118.6	118.9	119.2	120.2	126.0	91.8
Oils (4)	237.9	239.2	237.4	237.1	235.5	234.3	236.6	236.7	244.5	247.0
Textiles and Clothing (10)	81.5	81.6	80.9	80.1	80.4	79.9	80.5	81.8	81.1	71.7
Food and Allied Products (13)	184.3	184.8	184.7	185.1	184.6	185.2	184.7	186.3	188.4	152.7
Beverages (7)	136.2	136.6	136.1	136.7	135.1	136.2	136.2	137.4	144.2	130.3
Building Materials (14)	210.5	211.2	210.9	207.8	206.3	203.7	208.8	214.9	211.9	136.3
Industrial Mines (2)	568.6	569.9	567.1	569.9	565.1	561.6	567.1	572.6	623.2	419.9
19 UTILITIES	66.7	67.2	66.2	66.4	66.3	65.7	66.4	67.3	70.4	54.0
Transportation (2)	36.2	36.5	35.5	35.9	35.9	35.2	35.9	36.7	39.6	32.6
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	121.7	121.9	121.6	122.0	122.0	122.0	121.8	122.2	124.0	110.3
Power and Traction (15)	89.1	89.9	88.9	88.7	88.5	87.9	88.7	90.0	93.6	67.5
9 BANKS	94.1	94.1	94.3	94.2	94.2	94.5	94.2	94.1	96.2	77.7
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	161.3	162.7	158.1	156.4	154.3	154.7	157.8	165.9	172.0	146.8
Gold Stocks (21)	125.6	126.7	123.4	120.6	119.5	120.5	122.6	129.0	132.6	122.5
Base Metals (3)	308.9	311.6	302.0	304.7	298.3	295.9	303.5	313.9	335.8	247.2
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.6	112.8	112.9	112.6	112.5	112.7	115.7
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	73.9	73.9	73.9	73.6	72.9	72.6	73.5	73.8	73.2	69.7
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.8879	4.8954	4.8944	4.9026	4.9019	4.9036	4.8976	4.8937	4.8821	4.9712
U.S. dollars	.9991	.9991	.9991	.9991	.9991	.9991	.9991	.9989	.9993	1.0057
French franc	.0448	.0448	.0446	.0445	.0446	.0446	.0447	.0459	.0459	.0663
Belgian belga	.1680	.1682	.1683	.1682	.1682	.1683	.1682	.1682	.1683	.1702
Netherlands florin	.5459	.5469	.5467	.5470	.5470	.5467	.5467	.5468	.5462	.6829
Japanese yen	.2845	.2850	.2850	.2853	.2855	.2856	.2852	.2849	.2848	.2904
Australian pound	3.9103	3.9163	3.9153	3.9221	3.9215	3.9229	3.9181	3.9150	3.9058	3.9769
Argentine peso - free rate	.3027	-	.3027	.3032	.3037	.3037	.3032	.3022	.2996	.2761

x Bank of Canada.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS
(1926 = 100)

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES					
Number of Securities 1937	Total 68	Machinery and Equipment 8	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 4	Oils 4	Textiles and Clothing 10	Food and Allied Products 13	Beverages 7	Building Materials 14	Industrial Mines 2	Total 19	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 15	Banks 9	Grand Total 96
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	432.5	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	281.1	591.3	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	131.7	198.3
Low	199.3	184.7	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	179.1	256.2	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	116.7	134.6
x 1933 - High	129.2	99.8	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	84.9	190.0	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	81.1	82.5
Low	56.0	39.2	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	44.3	74.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	63.1	43.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	126.5	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	104.1	242.2	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	75.2	83.1
Low	111.8	78.2	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	79.5	187.0	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	64.4	69.5
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.7	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	118.0	377.9	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	79.8	98.8
Low	123.7	109.1	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	102.6	193.3	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	75.3	75.7
x 1936 - High	226.1	142.3	31.9	115.4	254.5	76.5	182.9	152.6	192.0	553.9	64.7	37.6	121.7	84.5	84.5	122.6
Low	180.2	102.0	16.5	79.5	216.5	65.6	145.2	122.8	123.6	371.2	50.6	28.1	108.8	63.2	76.6	98.6
1936																
January	187.7	118.2	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	127.3	387.2	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	78.6	112.9
February	200.0	125.0	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	135.4	418.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	82.6	120.7
March	194.8	122.2	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	131.7	416.3	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	79.6	117.4
April	194.2	114.3	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	134.1	401.8	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	77.5	115.9
May	187.9	108.0	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	128.6	394.8	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	77.7	112.8
June	189.3	106.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	77.8	113.8
July	190.1	102.4	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	425.5	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	77.2	114.3
August	191.4	103.0	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	79.0	114.7
September	200.6	113.6	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	149.7	488.1	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	79.7	119.5
October	212.3	127.3	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	162.6	519.3	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	80.6	126.9
November	219.9	140.4	27.5	107.0	233.4	74.4	179.6	143.6	178.3	546.2	62.4	34.6	116.5	81.8	84.5	131.8
December	212.8	139.4	29.7	112.5	215.4	73.5	182.3	145.3	181.9	540.0	62.8	34.6	120.4	82.1	87.7	129.2
1937																
January	222.0	156.3	37.2	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	94.4	137.4
February	228.8	163.4	36.7	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	96.7	142.4
March	241.7	168.3	40.2	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	95.9	147.2
Weekly Index Numbers																
April 16, 1936	198.7	116.2	18.1	91.8	247.0	71.7	152.7	130.3	136.3	419.9	54.0	32.6	110.3	67.5	77.7	119.0
1937																
March 4	241.9	167.1	37.1	123.0	249.7	79.4	191.9	139.9	210.4	610.9	73.3	42.5	123.9	97.3	96.1	148.2
March 11	245.4	169.3	38.5	128.3	249.3	80.4	191.4	141.0	216.2	631.8	72.5	41.9	125.6	95.5	96.4	149.5
March 18	242.2	166.9	37.8	126.0	244.5	81.1	188.4	144.2	211.9	623.2	70.4	39.6	124.0	93.6	96.2	147.1
March 25	235.4	167.8	40.1	127.5	237.4	80.6	186.7	140.0	208.9	597.2	68.3	36.9	123.0	91.8	94.9	143.2
April 1	238.1	170.2	45.1	127.2	238.2	81.0	188.1	139.8	214.2	610.6	68.6	38.5	122.3	90.8	94.6	144.4
April 8	232.3	168.0	50.2	120.2	236.7	81.8	186.3	137.4	214.9	572.6	67.3	36.7	122.2	90.0	94.1	141.3
April 15	229.2	159.0	47.2	119.2	236.6	80.5	184.7	136.2	208.8	567.1	66.4	35.9	121.8	88.7	94.2	139.4

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, APRIL 16-22
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

After a sharp and uninterrupted decline from April 10 to 20, Canadian exchanges rallied strongly on the 21st to recover losses of the preceding four days. This advance which was not continued subsequently left price averages substantially below levels of the preceding peak reached ten days earlier. New York indexes, however, with the exception of those for utilities have advanced slowly but fairly steadily since their break on April 7. Group movements on Canadian exchanges all followed much the same pattern during the past week, which is indicated by the Investors' indexes of 138.1 for April 15, 133.7 for the 20th, 137.1 for the 21st, and 136.9 for the 22nd. The weekly averages dropped from 139.4 to 135.7 between the weeks ended April 15 and 22, with the industrial section down from 229.2 to 222.0, and utilities from 66.4 to 65.2.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Price behaviour in the mining section closely resembled that of industrials and utilities during the past week, with the last stages of recession being rather more severe and subsequent recovery likewise more pronounced. The decline which has proceeded intermittently since early in February was halted after a heavy selling wave on April 19 and 20. A sharp one day advance followed, based upon a more moderate volume of trading, and this wiped out the greater part of losses registered earlier in the week. Gold averages are now at the lowest level reached since December 1935, while base metals are upon a par with averages for last October. The Bureau's general mining stock price index declined from 157.8 for the week ended April 15 to 148.3 for the week of April 22, with golds falling from 122.6 to 115.3 and base metals from 303.5 to 284.0.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 112.6 for the week ending April 15 to 113.1 for the week of April 22. Prices were firm during most of the week but softened toward the close, subsequent to reports of a forthcoming Dominion Government refunding issue. Provincials, in the main, were steady. The British market displayed strength, following the presentation of the Budget on Tuesday calling for heavier taxation specifically designated to meet rearmament costs and Consols closed at $77\frac{3}{4}$, an increase of $1\frac{1}{2}$ since the first of the month. Gilt-edged issues in the United States averaged higher for the first part of the week but sold off in the last two days. The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 73.5 to 72.4. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.47 as compared with 3.51 for the previous week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

The steady rise in sterling amounting to over five cents in the past month, was not affected by the presentation of the British budget providing for heavier taxation of industrial profits. The Japanese yen and the Scandinavian units were also firmer. Montreal rates on the French franc and on New York funds, however, showed declines, and the Argentine peso was likewise weaker. The rate of profit on gold shipments from London to New York continued to be materially higher than it was before the circulation of rumours that service charges on gold shipments might be increased.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	APRIL 16	17	19	20	21	22	Weekly Average April 16 - 22	Preceding Weekly Average April 9-15	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	137.1	136.4	135.7	133.7	137.1	136.9	135.7	139.4	143.2	116.2
68 INDUSTRIALS	224.5	222.8	221.5	218.2	224.5	224.1	222.0	229.2	235.4	193.8
Machinery and Equipment (8)	153.6	151.2	148.5	148.6	158.8	158.6	153.0	159.0	167.8	111.9
Pulp and Paper (6)	45.7	44.3	43.2	42.6	46.1	45.2	44.4	47.2	40.1	17.4
Milling (4)	112.4	112.4	111.1	106.4	111.6	111.9	109.5	119.2	127.5	90.3
Oils (4)	233.6	232.5	231.4	229.2	231.9	232.3	231.4	236.6	237.4	241.6
Textiles and Clothing (10)	79.3	78.7	78.8	77.8	78.6	79.0	78.6	80.5	80.6	71.8
Food and Allied Products (13)	184.4	183.5	181.3	176.5	181.4	180.9	180.7	184.7	186.7	151.4
Beverages (7)	135.7	135.0	133.6	131.3	132.2	131.6	133.3	136.2	140.0	126.5
Building Materials (14)	203.0	202.0	198.2	194.3	199.5	203.9	198.9	208.8	208.9	134.6
Industrial Mines (2)	551.1	545.5	544.3	533.4	557.4	553.6	544.8	567.1	597.2	406.6
19 UTILITIES	65.6	65.7	65.4	64.4	65.7	65.7	65.2	66.4	68.3	53.0
Transportation (2)	35.4	35.2	34.9	35.0	35.0	35.2	35.1	35.9	36.9	30.6
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	121.9	122.0	121.9	122.4	122.0	122.2	122.0	121.8	123.0	110.3
Power and Traction (15)	87.4	88.0	87.5	85.2	88.1	87.8	86.9	88.7	91.8	67.0
9 BANKS	94.4	94.4	94.1	94.2	94.1	94.0	94.0	94.2	94.9	76.5
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	152.6	148.6	144.2	144.1	153.1	153.0	148.3	157.8	170.0	146.2
Gold Stocks (21)	119.3	115.6	112.1	111.5	119.2	119.8	115.3	122.6	132.3	123.2
Base Metals (3)	290.3	285.5	276.7	279.1	293.6	290.3	284.0	303.5	325.6	241.3
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	112.9	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	112.5	113.1	112.6	112.4	115.7
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	72.6	72.3	72.3	72.0	72.0	73.3	72.4	73.5	73.7	69.1
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9101	4.9114	4.9173	4.9128	4.9184	4.9290	4.9165	4.8976	4.8797	4.9662
U.S. dollars	.9988	.9988	.9988	.9986	.9981	.9978	.9985	.9991	.9989	1.0054
French franc	.0446	.0446	.0447	.0445	.0443	.0445	.0445	.0447	.0459	.0663
Belgian belga	.1683	.1683	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1685	.1684	.1682	.1682	.1700
Netherlands florin	.5468	.5468	.5468	.5467	.5465	.5463	.5467	.5467	.5465	.6821
Japanese yen	.2857	.2861	.2864	.2863	.2865	.2872	.2864	.2852	.2847	.2902
Australian pound	3.9281	3.9291	3.9339	3.9303	3.9347	3.9433	3.9317	3.9181	3.9037	3.9715
Argentine peso - free rate	.3041	-	.3036	.3026	.3034	.3028	.3033	.3032	.2997	.2758

x Bank of Canada

INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY-FOUR MINING STOCKS
(1926=100)

Number of Stocks 1937	Gold 21	Base Metals 3	Total Index 24
x1928-High	137.2	322.2	138.6
Low	75.4	105.7	107.3
x1929-High	89.7	318.0	127.9
Low	52.7	157.3	72.6
x1930-High	66.7	203.1	88.3
Low	53.3	56.4	56.7
x1931-High	79.5	108.3	85.4
Low	54.4	49.9	54.8
x1932-High	63.1	82.3	64.8
Low	48.5	42.5	46.8
x1933-High	111.9	144.1	116.7
Low	64.9	68.2	65.1
x1934-High	140.1	167.6	143.3
Low	103.1	125.0	107.3
x1935-High	131.2	211.7	136.7
Low	104.7	128.6	114.9
x1936-High	136.2	322.1	170.3
Low	118.3	205.5	135.4
1936			
January	124.8	214.8	142.4
February	130.2	230.4	149.8
March	122.7	232.2	144.2
April	122.8	241.1	145.8
May	128.9	239.2	150.3
June	134.4	246.0	156.1
July	134.4	254.1	157.6
August	132.6	264.0	158.1
September	131.2	267.1	157.6
October	126.4	289.4	158.2
November	131.8	312.5	167.0
December	131.3	317.8	167.7
1937			
January	137.5	329.6	174.6
February	139.4	344.8	177.2
March	133.0	340.5	172.6
Weekly Index Numbers			
1937			
Week ending March 4th	137.6	347.7	178.3
" " " 11th	133.1	348.0	174.8
" " " 18th	132.6	335.8	172.0
" " " 25th	132.3	325.6	170.0
" " April 1st	131.1	328.9	169.5
" " " 8th	129.0	313.9	165.9
" " " 15th	122.6	303.5	157.8
" " " 22nd	115.3	284.0	148.3

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, APRIL 23-29
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

A week of almost unbroken declines carried Canadian stock price averages with the exception of banks definitely under preceding low points for the year. The greater part of losses came on April 26 and 28 when severe liquidation and sharp declines occurred at New York. The wide break in London security prices on April 29, however, was not parallel in American markets. The Investors' price index recorded a net loss of 11.1 to close on April 29 at 125.8, its lowest level since the early part of last October. Industrials dropped 19.1 to 205.0, and Utilities lost proportionately almost as much, falling 5.9 to 59.8. This latest reaction which was halted on Thursday, April 29 was briefer, but much more drastic than the one preceding between April 10 and 20. Unlike the earlier movement trading volume increased as prices broke through to successively lower levels.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Mining stock prices moved downward almost without interruption during the week ended April 29. Earlier recovery was completely wiped out as market averages again established new lows for the year. Base metals were affected by further declines in non-ferrous commodity markets, and gold issues reacted sharply to a revival of the rumour that gold prices might be lowered. Since the current decline commenced last February, the Bureau's mining stock price index has dropped from 182.6 to 137.3 (April 29). Averages for the weeks ended April 22 and 29 declined from 148.3 to 143.4, with the gold section down from 115.3 to 112.8, and base metals from 284.0 to 267.1.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, fell from 113.1 for the week ending April 22 to 112.5 for the week ending April 29. The severe decline in stocks had little effect on bonds and markets were dull with price movements limited. Attention of investors was directed, in part, toward the new British defence loan for £100,000,000 which was offered on Thursday and met with a less favourable reception than had been anticipated. British Consols dropped a point during the week and United States high-grades moved slightly lower.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields rose from 72.4 to 73.3. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.50 as compared with 3.47 for last week and 3.27 a year ago.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

Sterling rates have continued to move steadily upward, supported by a heavy movement of gold from London to New York, which apparently has been augmented by persistent fears of lower gold prices in the future. The position of sterling was also held to have been affected in the past few days by the withdrawal of European funds from New York to support weak security and commodity positions in London and Continental markets. The French franc registered small gains between April 24 and 29, while Montreal discounts on New York funds increased by a further small fraction. The Netherlands florin and Japanese yen were firm.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	APRIL 23	24	26	27	28	29	Weekly Average April 23 - 29	Preceding Weekly Average April 16 - 22	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	136.0	135.6	131.3	131.5	125.3	125.8	128.3	135.7	144.4	111.9
68 INDUSTRIALS	222.3	221.7	214.5	214.1	204.4	205.0	209.6	222.0	238.1	186.2
Machinery and Equipment (8)	157.7	158.3	149.2	150.7	143.7	144.8	147.6	153.0	170.2	105.9
Pulp and Paper (6)	44.9	44.5	41.7	42.4	38.9	38.5	40.7	44.4	45.1	16.5
Milling (4)	111.7	111.8	110.8	110.6	104.9	102.9	107.4	109.5	127.2	86.0
Oils (4)	231.0	231.1	227.3	224.7	216.1	218.2	221.0	231.4	238.2	233.5
Textiles and Clothing (10)	78.9	78.6	78.1	77.9	76.2	76.7	77.5	78.6	81.0	70.6
Food and Allied Products (13)	181.6	181.4	178.9	179.8	176.0	175.5	178.3	180.7	188.1	148.1
Beverages (7)	131.7	131.0	128.2	127.8	123.0	122.6	125.7	133.3	139.8	122.8
Building Materials (14)	202.0	201.3	197.6	197.2	189.3	184.6	192.0	198.9	214.2	129.2
Industrial Mines (2)	546.1	543.0	515.0	518.2	489.9	490.2	500.8	544.8	610.6	386.3
19 UTILITIES	65.4	65.0	62.7	63.4	59.2	59.8	60.7	65.2	68.6	50.9
Transportation (2)	34.9	34.2	32.4	33.2	30.7	31.4	32.1	35.1	38.5	28.6
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	122.2	122.0	122.0	122.2	120.8	120.2	121.9	122.0	122.3	108.9
Power and Traction (15)	87.5	87.4	83.9	84.7	78.2	79.0	80.4	86.9	90.8	64.6
9 BANKS	94.6	94.1	94.1	94.1	93.6	93.0	93.8	94.0	94.6	76.4
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	150.6	149.9	144.2	144.8	138.4	137.3	143.4	148.3	169.5	144.1
Gold Stocks (21)	118.4	117.4	113.8	114.1	109.7	107.0	112.8	115.3	131.1	123.3
Base Metals (3)	284.1	284.3	270.0	271.4	256.9	262.8	267.1	284.0	328.9	230.1
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	112.6	112.3	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.4	112.5	113.1	112.7	115.7
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	72.9	73.6	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.3	73.3	72.4	73.2	69.1
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9222	4.9220	4.9258	4.9343	4.9323	4.9360	4.9287	4.9165	4.8836	4.9559
U.S. dollars	.9981	.9981	.9981	.9981	.9981	.9978	.9981	.9985	.9989	1.0037
French franc	.0443	.0443	.0443	.0443	.0445	.0448	.0444	.0445	.0460	.0661
Belgian belga	.1685	.1686	.1686	.1678	.1686	.1685	.1684	.1684	.1682	.1697
Netherlands florin	.5465	.5466	.5465	.5472	.5472	.5471	.5469	.5467	.5468	.6808
Japanese yen	.2870	.2875	.2870	.2877	.2874	.2875	.2874	.2864	.2847	.2898
Australian pound	3.9378	3.9376	3.9407	3.9475	3.9458	3.9488	3.9430	3.9317	3.9069	3.9647
Argentine peso - free rate	.3024	-	.3024	.3044	.3024	.3023	.3028	.3033	.3003	.2750

x Bank of Canada.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1929 - 1937.

(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6	117.7
February	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0	115.3
March	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5	112.9
April	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7	-
May	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9	-
June	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.3	110.4	114.2	117.0	-
July	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.3	111.1	114.5	118.0	-
August	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1	-
September	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1	-
October	98.2	103.2	98.1	1.3.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1	-
November	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6	-
December	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1929-1937.

(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4	64.6
February	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8	68.4
March	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9	72.7
April	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5	-
May	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8	-
June	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9	-
July	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1	-
August	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2	-
September	102.8	93.9	95.5	88.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1	-
October	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2	-
November	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.1	77.2	74.5	65.1	-
December	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO POPULAR BOND ISSUES, 1929-1937.

(From data issued by Wood, Gundy & Co. Ltd.)
(1926 = 100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.3	76.2	85.5	70.4
February	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6	74.3
March	101.3	101.3	95.0	110.6	100.0	90.2	79.5	77.3	78.5
April	103.3	101.3	95.0	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5	-
May	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6	-
June	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3	-
July	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0	-
August	102.3	96.0	93.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2	-
September	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	88.3	69.9	-
October	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2	-
November	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	71.8	-
December	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	82.7	69.7	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BONDS, 1936-1937x

Date		Prices	Yields
Feb.	4	116.3	66.5
	11	116.3	66.7
	18	114.7	69.4
	25	114.6	69.6
Mar.	4	113.9	70.8
	11	113.3	72.2
	18	112.7	73.2
	25	112.4	73.7
Apr.	1	112.7	73.2
	8	112.5	73.8
	15	112.6	73.5
	22	113.1	73.4
	29	112.5	73.3

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, APRIL 30-MAY 6.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

A week of fairly steady recovery on exceptionally light trading followed the drastic shake down in common stock prices during the closing days of April. Impressive gains were registered by the two industrial mines, International Nickel and Consolidated Smelters, but practically all groups shared in the advance. Market averages for May 6 were again almost upon a par with those of April 20, which marked a resistance level at the second stage of the April decline. During the week ended May 6, the Investors' index number of common stock prices advanced 8.1 to 137.9, with industrials up 14.6 to 219.6, and utilities up 4.0 to [illegible], while banks eased 0.4 to 92.6. Substantial increases for index sub-groups included industrial mines, milling, machinery and equipment, and power and traction.

MINING STOCK PRICES

After a sharp rebound from the lows of April 28 and 29, mining markets attempted to consolidate their partial recovery during the first week of May. Trading interest, however, was dull and price averages failed to hold at the highs touched on May 1, although subsequent losses were slight. For the week ended May 6, the Bureau's general mining stock price index made a net advance of 6.4 to close at 143.7. Golds mounted 5.8 to 112.8, and base metals 8.4 to 271.2. Weekly averages also showed moderate improvement.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926-100, advanced from 112.5 for the week ending April 29 to 113.0 for the week ending May 6. A little better demand developed during the week and prices rose accordingly, with gains ranging up to one point. The Conversion Loan for holders of the 5½ p.c. - 1937 maturity was well received but had no marked effect upon other bond prices as new funds were not involved. British Consols closed 1/8 higher and United States high-grade bonds were firmer also. The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 73.3 to 72.4. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.47 as compared with 3.50 for last week and 3.25 for a year ago.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

The long and gradual advance of sterling rates during April has been followed by a slight reaction, attributed in part to a considerable repatriation of French capital held in London. This commenced to move back to Paris subsequent to the drastic slump in London commodity and security markets on April 29. Since then Montreal franc rates have advanced fractionally as sterling declined. The discount on New York funds increased to one-quarter of one per cent. on May 6, and Montreal rates on most other exchanges have also been reduced slightly during the week.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	APRIL 30	1	3	MAY 4	5	6	Weekly Average April 30-May 6	Preceding Weekly Average April 23-29	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	130.0	131.3	132.1	133.5	132.7	133.9	131.9	128.3	141.3	112.9
68 INDUSTRIALS	213.5	215.9	217.0	219.0	217.6	219.6	216.5	209.6	232.3	188.0
Machinery and Equipment (8)	153.1	155.9	155.7	155.8	155.3	154.1	154.5	147.6	168.0	109.1
Pulp and Paper (6)	41.1	41.9	41.6	42.0	41.3	41.4	41.5	40.7	50.2	16.9
Milling (4)	105.0	105.6	112.2	111.8	114.0	114.0	111.1	107.4	120.2	86.4
Oils (4)	226.5	229.8	228.5	227.5	228.3	228.8	227.9	221.0	236.7	236.1
Textiles and Clothing (10)	77.2	77.9	78.2	78.2	78.4	77.9	78.0	77.5	81.8	67.4
Food and Allied Products (13)	176.4	177.8	178.0	178.3	178.4	179.5	178.2	178.3	186.3	146.4
Beverages (7)	125.0	125.8	127.7	132.1	131.1	129.5	128.9	125.7	137.4	123.5
Building Materials (14)	188.8	189.8	191.4	192.8	193.2	192.9	190.7	192.0	214.9	128.5
Industrial Mines (2)	515.9	520.1	527.6	539.8	529.5	541.6	524.9	500.8	572.6	391.6
19 UTILITIES	60.9	61.7	62.3	63.6	63.0	63.8	62.3	60.7	67.3	51.4
Transportation (2)	32.2	33.2	33.4	33.7	33.9	34.2	33.1	32.1	36.7	30.3
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	118.9	120.4	120.1	120.4	119.8	119.8	120.0	121.9	122.2	109.4
Power and Traction (15)	80.9	81.4	82.6	85.1	83.8	85.1	82.8	80.4	90.0	63.9
9 BANKS	92.1	91.4	91.8	91.8	92.4	92.6	92.1	93.8	94.1	76.3
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	144.3	145.3	144.4	145.0	143.8	143.7	144.5	143.4	165.9	148.5
Gold Stocks (21)	113.0	114.6	113.2	113.2	112.0	112.8	113.2	112.8	129.0	127.4
Base Metals (3)	273.7	272.3	273.5	276.4	275.5	271.2	273.8	267.1	313.9	235.9
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	112.5	112.8	113.1	113.1	113.3	113.4	113.0	112.5	112.5	115.9
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	73.2	72.8	72.2	72.2	72.0	71.8	72.4	73.3	73.8	68.9
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9356	4.9307	4.9273	4.9268	4.9237	4.9264	4.9284	4.9287	4.8937	4.9599
U.S. dollars	.9981	.9981	.9981	.9981	.9978	.9975	.9980	.9981	.9989	1.0009
French franc	.0447	.0447	.0449	.0449	.0448	.0448	.0448	.0444	.0459	.0659
Belgian belga	.1686	.1685	.1685	.1685	.1685	.1685	.1685	.1684	.1682	.1697
Netherlands florin	.5474	.5475	.5475	.5477	.5475	.5473	.5475	.5469	.5468	.6804
Japanese yen	.2877	.2879	.2872	.2872	.2870	.2871	.2874	.2874	.2849	.2899
Australian pound	3.9485	3.9446	3.9419	3.9415	3.9390	3.9411	3.9428	3.9430	3.9150	3.9678
Argentine peso - free rate	.3029	-	.3014	.3029	.3028	.3012	.3022	.3028	.3022	.2744

x Bank of Canada.

EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1936-1937

NOTE: The noon rates in Canadian Funds upon which these averages are based have been supplied by the Bank of Canada.

Former Gold Parities	New York Funds	London Sterling 4.8666	France Franc .0392 (1)	Belgium Belga .1001	Italy Lira .0526 (2)	Switzerland Franc .1930 (3)	Holland Guilder .4020 (4)	Norway Kroner .2680	Sweden Kroner .2680	Denmark Kroner .2680
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
May	1.0018	4.9798	.0660	.1697	.0787	.3243	.6780	.2502	.2567	.2223
June	1.0026	5.0328	.0661	.1695	.0789	.3250	.6790	.2529	.25[illegible]	.2246
July	1.0008	5.0269	.0663	.1691	.0789	.3275	[illegible]23	.2526	.2591	.2244
August	1.0001	5.0265	.0659	.1686	.0787	.3260	.6791	.2525	.2592	.2244
September	.9997	5.0390	.0647	.1689	.0786	.3174	.6671	.2532	.2598	.2249
October	.9997	4.8972	.0467	.1683	.0545	.2299	.5362	.2460	.2525	.2186
November	.9986	4.8817	.0464	.1688	.0525	.2295	.5392	.2452	.2516	.2179
December	.9993	4.9030	.0466	.1688	.0526	.2297	.5451	.2463	.2528	.2189
1937 - January	1.0003	4.9092	.0467	.1687	.0526	.2294	.5477	.2467	.2531	.2192
February	1.0002	4.8953	.0466	.1687	.0526	.2284	.5470	.2460	.2524	.2185
March	.9995	4.8824	.0460	.1684	.0526	.2278	.5467	.2453	.2517	.2180
April	.9987	4.9095	.0449	.1683	.0525	.2279	.5468	.2467	.2530	.2191

Former Gold Parities	Spain Peseta .1930	Czecho-Slovakia Koruna .0296 (5)	Argentine Peso (Paper) .4244 Unofficial	Australia (Pound) 4.8666	Brazil Milreis .1196 Unofficial	Germany Reichs-mark .2382	India Rupee .3650	China (Shanghai) Dollar	Japan Yen .4985	Union of S. Africa (Pound) 4.8666	New Zealand (Pound) 4.8666
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
May	.1367	.0415	.2758	3.9838	.0561	.4036	.3757	.2979	.2912	4.9736	4.0159
June	.1369	.0415	.2770	4.0262	.0568	.4038	.3797	.3001	.2948	5.0265	4.0587
July	.1373	.0416	.2729	4.0215	.0578	.4036	.3792	.3000	.2935	5.0206	4.0539
August	.1365	.0413	.2778	4.0210	.0584	.4023	.3794	.3007	.2941	5.0202	4.0538
September	.1365	.0413	.2833	4.0312	.0589	.4010	.3810	.2999	.2946	5.0327	4.0637
October	-	.0365	.2772	3.9178	.0585	.4019	.3698	.2938	.2860	4.8911	3.9488
November	-	.0354	.2765	3.9054	.0585	.4017	.3686	.2949	.2849	4.8760	3.9368
December	-	.0352	.2975	3.8820	.0594	.4019	.3706	.2954	.2849	4.8964	3.9528
1937 - January	-	.0350	.3024	3.9273	.0609	.4024	.3711	.2970	.2855	4.9031	3.9591
February	-	.0349	.3003	3.9162	.0611	.4023	.3699	.2964	.2854	4.8892	3.9485
March	-	.0349	.2998	3.9060	.0610	.4019	.3687	.2967	.2848	4.8763	3.9375
April	-	.0349	.3028	3.9276	.0625	.4015	.3708	.2969	.2860	4.9033	3.9592

(1) French franc devalued September 26 - New Gold content temporarily established between 43 to 49 milligrammes.
(2) Italian lira devalued by 40.93 p.c. October 5. (3) Swiss franc devalued September 26 - No value fixed but held temporarily at a rate within 10 p.c. of its former nominal dollar parity. (4) Holland abandoned gold standard September 26 - No definite stabilization level for the Dutch guilder yet established. (5) Czecho-Slovakian crown devalued October 8 by 13.3 p.c. to 18.7 p.c. over and above the 16 2/3 p.c. devaluation of February, 1934.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, MAY 7-13
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INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

The impressive rally in prices during the opening days of May has been followed by further declines which erased much of the preceding gains. This represented the ifth phase of reaction since the broad decline in stock markets commenced last March, ut its duration has been marked by a somewhat different behaviour of prices from that n earlier stages. The latest rally was of greater magnitude and was held for over a eek, whereas the longest of the earlier recoveries had lasted only a few days. The olume of selling produced by the last decline was smaller than that occurring on earlier ecessions. During the week ended May 13, the Investors' price index of industrial, tility and bank stocks dropped from 133.9 to 129.6, with industrials down from 219.6 to 12.4, and utilities from 63.8 to 61.0. Banks advanced fractionally from 92.6 to 92.7. he Investors' weekly average declined 0.4 to 131.5 between the weeks ended May 6 and 3.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Further gradual declines have carried mining stock averages slightly below ne preceding low point for the current year which was reached on April 29. The last tage of recession dating from May 1 has been more gradual than those preceding it, articularly for the better established gold issues, and it has occurred on a very low olume of trading. The general index of 25 mining stock prices dropped from 143.7 to 36.9 for the week ended May 13. The gold section fell from 112.8 to 107.9, and base etals from 271.2 to 256.6. A weekly average index for the same 25 mines moved down rom 144.5 to 140.1 between the weeks ended May 6 and 13. The high point for the year as 180.0 reached in the fourth week of February, and each weekly average since that ime has been successively lower.

LONG TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term ond prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 113.0 for the week ending May 6 to 113.6 or the week ending May 13. In the early days of the week a good demand brought about fractional advance in prices but following the holiday a more unsettled condition eveloped. In London, British Consols at £77 were 1/8 up for the week while high-grade onds at New York were slightly easier. The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond ields fell from 72.4 to 71.6. The average yield of the issues used in this index was .43 as compared with 3.47 for the preceding week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

An unusual repatriation movement of Dutch capital which produced a rise in ilder rates, prompted Netherlands authorities to reduce gold buying rates twice during e past week in an effort to stem the sudden inflow of funds. Shipments of gold to e United States from London were recently smaller for a time, but have increased again a new wave of nervousness regarding future gold prices resulted in heavy offerings the London open market. Sterling rates have remained firm. The French franc has oved irregularly lower since May 3, but losses were slight. Discounts on New York nds are narrowing again, the May 14 rate at Montreal being .998125

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	MAY 7	8	10	11	*12	13	Weekly Average May 7-13	Preceding Weekly Average April 30-May 6	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	134.0	134.4	131.4	131.6	-	139.6	131.5	131.9	139.4	114.2
68 INDUSTRIALS	219.3	220.1	215.3	215.5	-	212.4	215.3	216.5	229.2	190.0
Machinery and Equipment (8)	156.3	154.8	149.9	149.3	-	145.6	151.4	154.5	159.0	106.6
Pulp and Paper (6)	41.2	41.3	39.8	38.7	-	34.8	37.1	41.5	47.2	17.1
Milling (4)	112.1	111.0	110.7	111.2	-	109.9	110.6	111.1	119.2	86.9
Oils (4)	229.7	232.1	228.0	229.5	-	229.2	229.6	227.9	236.6	239.0
Textiles and Clothing (10)	78.2	78.3	78.0	78.3	-	77.4	77.9	78.0	80.5	67.9
Food and Allied Products (13)	181.1	180.8	179.8	179.8	-	177.9	179.6	178.2	184.7	147.6
Beverages (7)	130.1	129.3	128.2	127.8	-	126.8	127.8	128.9	136.2	132.9
Building Materials (14)	192.5	191.0	189.3	187.8	-	184.3	189.3	190.7	208.8	129.7
Industrial Mines (2)	537.2	537.4	521.5	520.5	-	507.1	518.4	524.9	567.1	393.6
19 UTILITIES	64.2	64.2	62.2	62.5	-	61.0	62.4	62.3	66.4	51.9
Transportation (2)	34.7	34.9	32.7	32.7	-	31.2	33.1	33.1	35.9	31.1
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	120.2	120.1	120.2	121.3	-	121.3	120.7	120.0	121.8	110.1
Power and Traction (15)	85.5	85.4	83.0	83.3	-	81.6	83.1	82.8	88.7	64.3
9 BANKS	92.6	92.8	92.8	92.9	-	92.7	92.6	92.1	94.2	77.5
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	144.5	142.1	139.9	139.5	-	136.9	140.1	144.5	157.8	149.4
Gold Stocks (21)	113.5	111.6	109.6	109.5	-	107.9	110.0	113.2	122.6	128.4
Base Metals (3)	273.0	268.3	265.1	263.9	-	256.6	264.3	273.8	303.5	236.4
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	113.3	113.5	113.7	113.7	-	113.7	113.6	113.0	112.6	116.1
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	71.8	71.6	71.5	71.5	-	71.5	71.6	72.4	73.5	68.6
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9239	4.9245	4.9240	4.9291	-	4.9314	4.9266	4.9284	4.8976	4.9772
U.S. dollars	.9975	.9975	.9975	.9975	-	.9978	.9976	.9980	.9991	1.0010
French franc	.0448	.0448	.0447	.0448	-	.0447	.0448	.0448	.0447	.0660
Belgian belga	.1685	.1685	.1683	.1683	-	.1682	.1684	.1685	.1682	.1700
Netherlands florin	.5473	.5475	.5476	.5484	-	.5486	.5479	.5475	.5467	.6765
Japanese yen	.2870	.2871	.2870	.2870	-	.2873	.2871	.2874	.2852	.2907
Australian pound	3.9391	3.9395	3.9392	3.9433	-	3.9452	3.9413	3.9428	3.9181	3.9818
Argentine peso - free rate	.3012	-	.3022	.3027	-	.3028	.3022	.3022	.3032	.2760

x Bank of Canada. *Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges closed.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS
(1926 = 100)

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

Number of Securities 1937	INDUSTRIALS Total 68	Machinery and Equipment 8	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 4	Oils 4	Textiles and Clothing 10	Food and Allied Products 13	Beverages 7	Building Materials 14	Industrial Mines 2	UTILITIES Total 19	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 15	Banks 9	Grand Total 96
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	432.5	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	281.1	591.3	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	131.7	198.3
Low	199.3	184.7	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	179.1	256.2	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	116.7	134.6
x 1933 - High	129.2	99.8	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	84.9	190.0	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	81.1	82.5
Low	56.0	39.2	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	44.3	74.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	63.1	43.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	126.5	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	104.1	242.2	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	75.2	83.1
Low	111.8	78.2	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	79.5	187.0	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	64.4	69.5
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.7	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	118.0	377.9	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	79.8	98.8
Low	123.7	109.1	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	102.6	193.3	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	75.3	75.7
x 1936 - High	226.1	142.3	31.9	115.4	254.5	76.5	182.9	152.6	192.0	553.9	64.7	37.6	121.7	84.5	84.5	122.6
Low	180.2	102.0	16.5	79.5	216.5	65.6	145.2	122.8	123.6	371.2	50.6	28.1	108.8	63.2	76.6	98.6
1936																
January	187.7	118.2	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	127.3	387.2	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	78.6	112.9
February	200.0	125.0	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	135.4	418.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	82.6	120.7
March	194.8	122.2	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	131.7	416.3	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	79.6	117.4
April	194.2	114.3	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	134.1	401.8	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	77.5	115.9
May	187.9	108.0	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	128.6	394.8	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	77.7	112.8
June	189.3	106.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	77.8	113.8
July	190.1	102.4	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	425.5	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	77.2	114.3
August	191.4	103.0	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	79.0	114.7
1937																
January	222.0	156.3	37.2	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	94.4	137.4
February	228.8	163.4	36.7	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	96.7	142.4
March	241.7	168.3	40.2	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	95.9	147.2
April	224.1	157.5	47.1	117.4	230.4	79.9	182.4	133.4	204.8	538.9	64.1	35.0	122.0	85.1	94.0	136.2
Weekly Index Numbers																
May 14, 1936	190.0	106.6	17.1	86.9	239.0	67.9	147.6	132.9	129.7	393.6	51.9	31.1	110.1	64.3	77.5	114.2
1937																
April 8	232.3	168.0	50.2	120.2	236.7	81.8	186.3	137.4	214.9	572.6	67.3	36.7	122.2	90.0	94.1	141.3
April 15	229.2	159.0	47.2	119.2	236.6	80.5	184.7	136.2	208.8	567.1	66.4	35.9	121.8	88.7	94.2	139.4
April 22	222.0	153.0	44.4	109.5	231.4	78.6	180.7	133.3	198.9	544.8	65.2	35.1	122.0	86.9	94.0	135.7
April 29	209.6	147.6	40.7	107.4	221.0	77.5	178.3	125.7	192.0	500.8	60.7	32.1	121.9	80.4	93.8	128.3
May 6	216.5	154.5	41.5	111.1	227.9	78.0	178.2	128.9	190.7	524.9	62.3	33.1	120.0	82.8	92.1	131.9
May 13	215.3	151.4	37.1	110.6	229.6	77.9	179.6	127.8	189.3	518.4	62.4	33.1	120.7	83.1	92.6	131.5

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, MAY 14-20
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Further evidence of levelling off after the declines of March and April was provided by the behaviour of industrial and utility common stock prices in the third week of May. With trading generally light market averages recovered last week's losses, marking the first time in over two months that a rally has regained the full amount of ground lost in the preceding phase of recession. The industrial mines, International Nickel and Consolidated Smelters, led the advance, with strength also apparent in machinery and equipment, papers, building materials, and power and traction. The Investors' price index of industrial,utility and banking stocks remained unchanged at 131.5 for the week ended May 20, as compared with 128.3, the low point of the decline recorded for the week ending April 29. Industrials changed from 215.3 to 215.5, utilities were the same at 62.4, and banks moved up from 92.6 to 92.8 between the weeks ended May 13 and 20.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Prices of mining stocks led by base metals moved upward on light trading volume during the week ended May 20. Gains recorded for gold issues were insufficient to cancel declines for the preceding week, but the tendency in this section of the market was steadier than for any corresponding period since the latter part of March. Base metals were buoyant, and their advance, although not spectacular was better sustained than any rally since the beginning of the major decline dating from the last week of February. In spite of the improvement noted above, the general price index for all mining issues fell fractionally from 140.1 to 139.9 between the weeks ending May 13 and 20. The gold average dropped from 110.0 to 109.4, while base metals advanced from 264.3 to 267.2.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 113.6 to 113.[illegible] during the week ending May 20. Markets were dull for the first three days but brightened as a stronger demand appeared and prices increased substantially. On the 14th the books of the Conversion loan for holders of 5½% - 1937 bonds were closed with a total subscription of $113,500,000 out of a possible $236,000,000. Provincials were spotty with Quebec, Ontario and Manitoba issues showing some improvement. United States bonds were slightly stronger but British Consols closed the week 3/4 of a point lower. The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 71.6 to 71.3. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.42 as compared with 3.43 for the previous week and 3.26 for a year ago.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

Exchange movements in the third week of May were of minor proportions. Sterling was firm around $4.935 with gold continuing to flow in considerable volume from London to New York. [illegible] several points before steadying at 4.45 cents, while Montreal rates on New York funds moved to a slightly narrower discount of one-twelfth of one per cent. Considerable interest was aroused recently in exchange circles by reports of a possible upward revaluation in the Swedish krona. To date, however, krona fluctuations have continued to follow closely those of sterling.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	MAY 14	15	17	18	19	20	Weekly Average May 14-20	Preceding Weekly Average May 7-13	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	130.4	130.4	129.8	131.6	131.4	134.0	131.5	131.5	135.7	115.3
68 INDUSTRIALS	213.5	213.7	212.8	216.1	215.5	219.7	215.5	215.3	222.0	191.3
Machinery and Equipment (8)	146.0	146.4	145.2	147.6	148.4	152.1	147.8	151.4	153.0	106.3
Pulp and Paper (6)	35.0	36.5	35.7	37.2	37.8	38.9	37.0	37.1	44.4	17.4
Milling (4)	109.9	109.9	108.3	103.4	103.7	107.2	107.1	110.6	109.5	90.1
Oils (4)	228.9	229.1	228.4	229.7	228.3	230.7	229.2	229.6	231.4	239.4
Textiles and Clothing (10)	76.6	76.8	77.4	77.3	77.3	77.3	77.1	77.9	78.6	69.0
Food and Allied Products (13)	176.1	177.8	178.0	177.8	177.7	178.2	177.7	179.6	180.7	145.2
Beverages (7)	126.7	126.9	127.1	126.7	128.0	129.1	127.5	127.8	133.3	133.7
Building Materials (14)	182.3	183.8	182.6	183.2	187.0	188.7	184.4	189.3	198.9	128.6
Industrial Mines (2)	515.7	514.6	511.5	527.8	525.1	542.3	524.9	518.4	544.8	400.3
19 UTILITIES	61.9	61.6	61.2	62.1	62.3	63.6	62.4	62.4	65.2	53.0
Transportation (2)	31.9	31.7	31.6	32.4	32.4	33.4	32.2	33.1	35.1	31.1
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	121.2	120.9	120.6	120.4	121.3	120.9	121.1	120.7	122.0	110.3
Power and Traction (15)	82.8	82.5	81.7	82.9	83.2	85.3	83.5	83.1	86.9	66.5
9 BANKS	92.9	92.9	93.1	92.8	92.7	93.0	92.8	92.6	94.0	78.7
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	139.8	139.6	138.1	139.5	139.6	141.9	139.9	140.1	148.3	150.8
Gold Stocks (21)	109.8	109.5	108.5	108.8	108.9	110.3	109.4	110.0	115.3	129.0
Base Metals (3)	264.0	264.4	260.7	266.5	266.6	272.8	267.2	264.3	284.0	241.1
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.8	113.9	114.1	113.8	113.6	113.1	115.8
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	71.5	71.5	71.5	71.3	71.2	70.8	71.3	71.6	72.4	69.0
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9282	4.9360	4.9375	4.9369	4.9347	4.9359	4.9348	4.9266	4.9165	4.9836
U.S. dollars	.9981	.9984	.9986	.9988	.9988	.9988	.9986	.9976	.9985	1.0032
French franc	.0447	.0448	.0448	.0446	.0445	.0445	.0447	.0448	.0445	.0661
Belgian belga	.1681	.1682	.1683	.1683	.1682	.1683	.1682	.1684	.1684	.1697
Netherlands florin	.5480	.5484	.5486	.5491	.5490	.5490	.5487	.5479	.5467	.6780
Japanese yen	.2872	.2876	.2876	.2875	.2875	.2875	.2875	.2871	.2864	.2918
Australian pound	3.9426	3.9488	3.9500	3.9496	3.9478	3.9484	3.9479	3.9413	3.9317	3.9869
Argentine peso - free rate	.3019	-	.3031	.3031	.3026	.3031	.3028	.3022	.3033	.2763

x Bank of Canada.

INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY-FOUR MINING STOCKS
(1926=100)

Number of Stocks 1937	Gold 21	Base Metals 3	Total Index 24
x1928 - High	137.2	322.2	138.6
Low	75.4	105.7	107.3
x1929 - High	89.7	318.0	127.9
Low	52.7	157.3	72.6
x1930 - High	66.7	203.1	88.3
Low	53.3	56.4	56.7
x1931 - High	79.5	108.3	85.4
Low	54.4	49.9	54.8
x1932 - High	63.1	82.3	64.8
Low	48.5	42.5	46.8
x1933 High	111.9	144.1	116.7
Low	64.9	68.2	65.1
x1934 - High	140.1	167.6	143.3
Low	103.1	125.0	107.3
x1935 - High	131.2	211.7	136.7
Low	104.7	128.6	114.9
x1936 - High	136.2	322.1	170.3
Low	118.3	205.5	135.4
1936			
January	124.8	214.8	142.4
February	130.2	230.4	149.8
March	122.7	232.2	144.2
April	122.8	241.1	145.8
May	128.9	239.2	150.3
June	134.4	246.0	156.1
July	134.4	254.1	157.6
August	132.6	264.0	158.1
September	131.2	267.1	157.6
October	126.4	289.4	158.2
November	131.8	312.5	167.0
December	131.[illegible]	317.8	167.7
1937			
January	137.5	329.6	174.6
February	139.4	344.8	177.2
March	133.0	340.5	172.6
April	120.0	288.0	154.1
Weekly Index Numbers			
Week ending April 15th	122.6	303.5	157.8
" " " 22nd	115.3	284.0	148.3
" " " 29th	112.8	267.1	143.4
" " May 6th	113.2	273.8	144.5
" " " 13th	110.0	264.3	140.1
" " " 20th	109.4	267.2	139.9

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, MAY 21-27
(1926-100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

During the fourth week of May, industrial common stocks drifted irregularly lower, but utility averages made moderate gains with marked strength apparent in Bell Telephone and Brazilian Power and Traction. Oils made the only noteworthy advance among industrials although food and milling issues were firm. Appreciable losses were recorded for the two industrial mines and in machinery and equipment, and beverage groups. Declines in the fourth week of May were generally less than advances immediately preceding, so that price indexes for the week ended May 27 were moderately higher than for the week of May 20. The Investors' index of industrial, utility, and bank common stocks advanced from 131.5 to 133.3, with industrials up from 215.5 to 218.2, and utilities from 62.4 to 63.9. Banks changed fractionally from 92.8 to 92.9.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Moderate price increases in mining stocks for May 21 and 22 were cancelled by gradual recessions in the next three days. Averages for the fourth week, however, compared favourably with those for the week preceding, and market levels still remained appreciably above mid-month low points. There was relatively more strength apparent in gold issues than in base metals which were affected by declines in London metal markets. The general index of 24 mines advanced from 139.9 for the week ending May 20 to 144.0 for the week of May 27, with the gold group rising from 109.4 to 112.6, and base metals from 267.2 to 274.3. For May 27, the general index was 141.9 with golds at 111.1 and base metals 269.2.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 113.8 for the week ending May 20 to 114.5 for the week ending May 27. Trading in the earlier part of the week revealed holiday dullness with bids remaining firm, but in the closing days a much keener demand developed and prices strengthened. Higher bids were unsuccessful in uncovering many offerings, however, and the volume of sales remained light. Provincials lacked feature and movements in British Consols and United States high-grade issues were within narrow limits. The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined to 69.9 as compared with 71.3 for the preceding week. The corresponding average yields of the six issues used in this index moved down from 3.42 to 3.36.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

Apart from a slight rise in rates on the French franc there was little in exchange fluctuations worthy of comment. Montreal quotations on sterling and United States dollars held within the narrowest limits recorded during the current year, and movements in other currencies were also very narrow. Gold in considerable quantities continued to be transferred to the United States from European sources.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	May 21	22	*24	25	26	27	Weekly Average May 21-27	Preceding Weekly Average May 14-20	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	132.9	133.6	-	132.8	133.2	133.8	133.3	131.5	128.3	114.1
68 INDUSTRIALS	218.0	219.5	-	218.2	218.0	218.0	218.2	215.5	209.6	189.3
Machinery and Equipment (8)	150.3	151.0	-	150.5	147.9	149.7	150.0	147.8	147.6	106.4
Pulp and Paper (6)	37.6	38.6	-	38.3	38.2	38.3	38.1	37.0	40.7	16.9
Milling (4)	108.5	108.5	-	108.3	108.2	107.6	108.5	107.1	107.4	83.6
Oils (4)	229.6	231.8	-	231.1	232.7	232.0	231.5	229.2	221.0	234.8
Textiles and Clothing (10)	77.7	77.8	-	77.8	77.4	76.7	77.2	77.1	77.5	68.9
Food and Allied Products (13)	178.2	177.9	-	178.3	178.4	178.5	178.3	177.7	178.3	145.8
Beverages (7)	128.8	130.2	-	129.3	127.9	127.8	128.6	127.5	125.7	128.2
Building Materials (14)	189.8	189.6	-	187.7	188.2	188.3	188.9	184.4	192.0	127.9
Industrial Mines (2)	535.0	538.0	-	532.9	529.0	530.6	532.2	524.9	500.8	402.5
19 UTILITIES	63.0	63.0	-	62.4	63.6	64.9	63.9	62.4	60.7	52.3
Transportation (2)	32.4	32.6	-	31.4	32.6	34.1	32.8	32.2	32.1	31.1
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	120.6	120.4	-	121.2	124.0	126.8	125.5	121.1	121.9	108.8
Power and Traction (15)	84.8	84.7	-	84.4	85.5	86.3	85.5	83.5	80.4	65.4
9 BANKS	93.0	93.0	-	92.9	93.1	93.0	92.9	92.8	93.8	78.0
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	144.4	145.1	-	144.2	144.1	141.9	144.0	139.9	143.4	152.6
Gold Stocks (21)	113.0	113.4	-	112.5	112.8	111.1	112.6	109.4	112.8	130.7
Base Metals (3)	274.1	276.3	-	275.5	273.5	269.2	274.3	267.2	267.1	243.6
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	114.4	-	-	114.5	114.6	114.6	114.5	113.8	112.5	115.9
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	70.2	-	-	70.0	69.8	69.8	69.9	71.3	73.3	68.8
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9356	4.9364	-	4.9364	4.9364	4.9359	4.9361	4.9348	4.9287	4.9921
U.S. dollars	.9989	.9989	-	.9989	.9989	.9989	.9989	.9986	.9981	1.0023
French franc	.0445	.0446	-	.0446	.0446	.0446	.0446	.0447	.0444	.0660
Belgian belga	.1685	.1684	-	.1684	.1685	.1686	.1685	.1682	.1684	.1694
Netherlands florin	.5491	.5493	-	.5492	.5492	.5492	.5492	.5487	.5469	.6772
Japanese yen	.2875	.2875	-	.2876	.2876	.2875	.2875	.2875	.2874	.2925
Australian pound	3.9485	3.9491	-	3.9491	3.9492	3.9488	3.9489	3.9479	3.9430	3.9936
Argentine peso - free rate	.3026	-	-	.3047	.3042	.3047	.3041	.3028	.3028	.2763

x Bank of Canada. *Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges closed.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1929 - 1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
anuary	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6	117.7
ebruary	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0	115.3
arch	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5	112.9
pril	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7	112.7
ay	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9	-
une	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0	-
uly	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0	-
ugust	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1	-
eptember	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1	-
ctober	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1	-
ovember	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6	-
ecember	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1929 - 1937
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
anuary	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4	64.6
ebruary	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8	68.4
arch	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9	72.7
pril	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5	73.2
ay	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8	-
une	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9	-
uly	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1	-
ugust	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2	-
eptember	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1	-
ctober	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2	-
ovember	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1	-
ecember	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO POPULAR BOND ISSUES, 1929 - 1937
(From data issued by Wood, Gundy & Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
anuary	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.3	76.2	85.5	70.4
ebruary	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6	74.3
arch	101.3	101.3	95.0	110.6	100.0	90.2	79.5	77.3	78.5
pril	103.3	101.3	95.0	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5	77.9
ay	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6	-
une	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3	-
uly	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0	-
ugust	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2	-
eptember	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	88.3	69.9	-
ctober	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2	-
ovember	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	71.8	-
ecember	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	82.7	69.7	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BONDS, 1937x

Date		Prices	Yields
Mar.	4	113.9	70.8
	11	113.3	72.2
	18	112.7	73.2
	25	112.4	73.7
Apr.	1	112.7	73.2
	8	112.5	73.8
	15	112.6	73.5
	22	113.1	72.4
	29	112.5	73.3
May	6	113.0	72.4
	13	113.6	72.6
	20	113.8	71.3
	27	114.5	69.9

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, MARCH 12-MARCH 18
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Sharp declines which affected all groups of stocks on March 17 and 18 cancelled previous gains which had followed a hesitant beginning in the early part of the week. This recession coincided with the sharpest reaction in New York that has been experienced in the past five months. Canadian markets led by steels, machinery and equipment, oils, and beverages had shown signs of recurrent strength on Tuesday, March 16. These gains were swept away, however, on Thursday, the 18th, and the industrial average was carried down to levels of a month ago. Utilities continued to decline gradually throughout the week, having moved steadily lower now since February 25. The Industrial Mines, International Nickel and Smelters, reacted further from their peak of the preceding week. The Investors' index dropped from 149.5 to 147.1 between the weeks ended March 11 and 18, with Industrials down from 245.4 to 242.2, and Utilities from 72.4 to 70.4.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Price trends of gold and base metal issues have recently been reversed. During the week ended March 18, base metal stocks lost ground almost steadily, while the gold section registered moderate increases in four successive trading days (March 13-17 inclusive) for the first appreciable gain in nearly a month. The behaviour of the base metal price index since the middle of February has been highly exceptional. After advancing more than 56 points to 372.6 between February 15 and 22, this series has moved in an erratic manner, with sharp declines at first interspersed with short rallies. More recently, however, losses have continued without interruption until by March 18 the index had dropped to 333.6. Between the weeks ended March 11 and 18, the general mining index fell from 174.8 to 172.0, due principally to the recession in base metals from 348.0 to 335.8. Despite gains referred to above, the weekly gold average was also down slightly from 133.1 to 132.6, recent advances having failed to counterbalance earlier losses.

LONG TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, declined from 113.3 for the week ending March 11 to 112.7 for the week ending March 18. Trading was light with nothing of an outstanding nature reported. British Consols firmed toward the end of the week but United States Government bonds were under pressure and the severest break since the decline started early in February occurred at New York on the 17th.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 72.2 to 73.2. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.51 as compared with 3.46 for the previous week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Recovery in the French franc was interrupted on March 17, and a minor secondary reaction accompanied political disturbances in France. The Canadian dollar has recently exhibited further signs of independent strength, moving against both sterling and the United States dollar during the past week. Canadian funds at New York were at a slight premium throughout this period. On March 18 Montreal quotations on leading currencies were: £ sterling $4.8809, United States dollar 99.89 cents, French franc 4.58 cents, and the Japanese yen 29.97 cents.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	MARCH 12	13	15	16	17	18	Weekly Average March 12-18	Preceding Weekly Average March 5-11	Corresponding Weekly Average Last month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	147.0	147.6	147.2	148.3	147.7	145.3	147.1	149.5	141.4	116.5
68 INDUSTRIALS	241.7	242.6	241.8	244.6	243.2	239.1	242.2	245.4	226.1	192.8
Machinery and Equipment (8)	163.7	166.2	165.3	167.4	169.2	166.8	166.9	169.3	163.7	119.4
Pulp and Paper (6)	37.5	38.2	38.2	37.9	37.9	37.6	37.8	38.5	36.7	17.7
Milling (4)	125.9	125.9	126.5	126.4	126.0	126.0	126.0	128.3	119.3	92.5
Oils (4)	242.3	244.7	243.3	249.5	247.0	243.1	244.5	249.3	231.1	234.7
Textiles and Clothing (10)	81.2	81.2	81.1	81.4	81.1	80.4	81.1	80.4	79.4	71.9
Food and Allied Products (13)	189.4	188.8	188.1	188.3	187.9	187.5	188.4	191.4	189.9	151.6
Beverages (7)	142.7	143.1	141.5	145.3	145.7	142.5	144.2	141.0	138.7	134.5
Building Materials (14)	210.7	212.3	211.5	212.3	212.8	212.3	211.9	216.2	205.6	128.6
Industrial Mines (2)	627.9	625.9	625.6	625.5	621.9	609.5	623.2	631.8	572.8	413.0
19 UTILITIES	70.6	71.0	70.9	70.6	70.6	69.3	70.4	72.4	73.5	54.2
Transportation (2)	40.2	40.6	40.1	39.4	39.9	37.9	39.6	41.9	41.4	32.9
Telephone and Telegraph (2)	125.0	124.5	123.4	123.8	124.1	123.7	124.0	125.6	126.7	110.1
Power and Traction (15)	93.4	93.9	94.4	94.3	93.8	92.8	93.6	95.5	98.1	67.5
9 BANKS	96.0	96.5	96.3	96.1	95.8	96.2	96.2	96.4	96.8	78.4
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	171.1	171.1	171.7	172.5	173.2	171.9	172.0	174.8	174.7	140.5
Gold Stocks (21)	130.8	131.3	132.4	133.2	134.2	132.8	132.6	133.1	138.5	119.6
Base Metals (3)	338.1	335.9	334.8	335.2	334.5	333.6	335.8	348.0	328.3	226.1
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	113.0	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.3	112.2	112.7	113.3	114.7	115.2
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	72.8	72.9	72.9	73.0	73.8	73.9	73.2	72.2	69.4	70.4
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.8814	4.8819	4.8831	4.8824	4.8831	4.8809	4.8821	4.8813	4.8967	4.9743
U.S. dollars	.9995	.9994	.9994	.9992	.9994	.9989	.9993	1.0000	1.0003	1.0004
French franc	.0459	.0459	.0459	.0459	.0458	.0458	.0459	.0458	.0466	.0664
Belgian belga	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1683	.1683	.1682	.1683	.1687	.1687	.1699
Netherlands florin	.5458	.5465	.5461	.5461	.5463	.5461	.5462	.5471	.5460	.6847
Japanese yen	.2849	.2850	.2848	.2847	.2848	.2847	.2848	.2850	.2856	.2896
Australian pound	3.9052	3.9056	3.9066	3.9059	3.9066	3.9047	3.9058	3.9053	3.9173	3.9793
Argentine peso - free rate	.2994	-	.2993	.2998	.2998	.2997	.2996	.3000	.3008	.2751

x Bank of Canada.

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

Number of Securities 1937	INDUSTRIALS Total 68	Machinery and Equipment 8	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 4	Oils 4	Textiles and Clothing 10	Food and Allied Products 13	Beverages 7	Building Materials 14	Industrial Mines 2	UTILITIES Total 19	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 15	Banks 9	Grand Total 96
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	432.5	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	281.1	591.3	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	131.7	198.3
Low	199.3	184.7	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	179.1	256.2	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	116.7	134.6
x 1933 - High	129.2	99.8	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	84.9	190.0	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	81.1	82.5
Low	56.0	39.2	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	44.3	74.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	63.1	43.3
x 1934 High	133.4	126.5	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	104.1	242.2	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	75.2	83.1
Low	111.8	78.2	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	79.5	187.0	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	64.4	69.5
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.7	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	118.0	377.9	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	79.8	98.8
Low	123.7	109.1	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	102.6	193.3	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	75.3	75.7
x 1936 - High	226.1	142.3	31.9	115.4	254.5	76.5	182.9	152.6	192.0	553.9	64.7	37.6	121.7	84.5	84.5	122.6
Low	180.2	102.0	16.5	79.5	216.5	65.6	145.2	122.8	123.6	371.2	50.6	28.1	108.8	63.2	76.6	98.6
1936																
January	187.7	118.2	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	127.3	387.2	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	78.6	112.9
February	200.0	125.0	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	135.4	418.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	82.6	120.7
March	194.8	122.2	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	131.7	416.3	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	79.6	117.4
April	194.2	114.3	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	134.1	401.8	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	77.5	115.9
May	187.9	108.0	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	128.6	394.8	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	77.7	112.8
June	189.3	106.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	77.8	113.8
July	190.1	102.4	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	425.5	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	77.2	114.3
August	191.4	103.0	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	79.0	114.7
September	200.6	113.6	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	149.7	488.1	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	79.7	119.5
October	212.3	127.3	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	162.6	519.3	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	80.6	126.9
November	219.9	140.4	27.5	107.0	233.4	74.4	179.6	143.6	178.3	546.2	62.4	34.6	116.5	81.8	84.5	131.8
December	212.8	139.4	29.7	112.5	215.4	73.5	182.3	145.3	181.9	540.0	62.8	34.6	120.4	82.1	87.7	129.2
1937																
January	222.0	156.3	37.2	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	94.4	137.4
February	228.8	163.4	36.7	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	96.7	142.4
Weekly Index Numbers																
March 19, 1936	192.8	119.4	17.7	92.5	234.7	71.9	151.6	134.5	128.6	413.0	54.2	32.9	110.1	67.5	78.4	116.5
1937																
February 18	226.1	163.7	36.7	119.3	231.1	79.4	189.9	138.7	205.6	572.8	73.5	41.4	126.7	98.1	96.8	141.4
February 25	236.2	161.7	36.4	121.7	237.6	77.8	189.7	139.6	208.8	609.7	74.5	42.5	124.8	99.9	96.1	146.3
March 4	241.9	167.1	37.1	123.0	249.7	79.4	191.9	139.9	210.4	610.9	73.3	42.5	123.9	97.3	96.1	148.2
March 11	245.4	169.3	38.5	128.3	249.3	80.4	191.4	141.0	216.2	631.8	72.4	41.9	125.6	95.5	96.4	149.5
March 18	242.2	166.9	37.8	126.0	244.5	81.1	188.4	144.2	211.9	623.2	70.4	39.6	124.0	93.6	96.2	147.1

x Weekly figures.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, MAY 28-JUNE 3.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Industrial and utility common stock price movements for the week ended June 3 were listless and irregular, except for a brief flurry of liquidation on May 31, when security markets in leading centres of the world declined. On that day developments in the Spanish civil war created a tense political situation in Europe, and coincidentally rumours concerning the prospect for lower world gold prices were again revived. These were denied as on former occasions, and the period of extreme tension in Europe was brief. Newsprint and textile issues recorded moderate net gains for the week, while oils, the industrial mines, building material and milling stocks moved definitely lower. Other groups showed only minor changes. The Investors' price index of industrial, utility and bank common stocks declined from 133.3 to 131.3 between the weeks ended May 27 and June 3, with industrials down from 218.2 to 214.0, and utilities from 63.9 to 63.5. Banks were unchanged at 92.9.

MINING STOCK PRICES

A continuation of declines dating from the latter half of the preceding week carried mining stock price averages down to points which have been resistance levels on two previous occasions during the past month. Rumours of lower gold prices in leading markets of the world circulated widely on May 31, and official denials did not prevent price declines in gold issues, although the volume of selling was not large. Base metals which also turned weak at this time, made substantial recovery in the next two days, but reacted again on June 3 when London copper and lead quotations were reduced. The general price index of 24 mines fell from 144.0 to 138.7 between the weeks ended May 27 and June 3, with the gold section dropping from 112.6 to 108.3, and base metals from 274.3 to 265.1. The general May average of 142.1 compared with 154.1 in the preceding month, the gold index declining from 120.0 to 111.3 and base metals from 288.0 to 269.3.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 114.5 for the week ending May 27 to 114.9 for the week ending June 3. Demand continued to be strong although volume was restricted by a scarcity of offerings. The Spanish situation became more tense about the end of May and a certain apprehension was reflected in security markets. The decline was slight and recovery followed quickly. Little impression was made upon the bond markets by Alberta's failure to meet a maturity of $1,650,000 on June 1 and the week closed on a firm note with a comparatively heavy turnover. British Consols lost more than a point during the week and the Dow-Jones average of selected United States high-grade bonds was easier also.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 69.9 to 69.4 between the weeks ending May 27 and June 3. The average yield for the past week of the issues used in this index was 3.32 as compared with 3.24 for the corresponding week of last year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

Sudden tension over the Spanish situation and a fresh outburst of rumours of change in the price of gold combined to disturb foreign exchanges in the opening days of June. The German mark, sterling and the Japanese yen were the currencies showing the greatest reaction, with the French franc also affected to a lesser extent. Montreal rates on New York funds returned to par after an interval of approximately two and one-half months. The rumours of contemplated reductions in official gold prices in the United States and some European countries although again denied brought heavy offerings of hoarded gold onto the London market, but few concerns were willing to accept the risk of handling shipments to the United States even at rates which allowed a profit of approximately 10 p.c. over ordinary interest allowances.

Dates	MAY 28	MAY 29	MAY 31	JUNE 1	JUNE 2	JUNE 3	Weekly Average May 28-June 3	Preceding Weekly Average May 21-27	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	132.9	133.4	129.8	130.7	131.3	130.2	131.3	133.3	131.9	113.6
68 INDUSTRIALS	217.0	218.1	211.2	212.8	213.4	211.2	214.0	218.2	216.5	187.6
Machinery and Equipment (8)	152.2	152.4	149.8	149.2	150.2	149.6	150.8	150.0	154.5	105.8
Pulp and Paper (6)	40.7	41.1	38.1	38.7	39.5	39.4	39.8	38.1	41.5	17.1
Milling (4)	105.1	105.6	105.3	103.3	104.4	104.1	105.0	108.5	111.1	86.3
Oils (4)	230.1	232.7	225.1	223.7	223.9	220.4	225.2	231.5	227.9	229.9
Textiles and Clothing (10)	76.7	77.2	77.6	77.5	76.7	77.3	77.2	77.2	78.0	69.4
Food and Allied Products (13)	178.0	178.0	178.4	177.3	178.9	178.4	178.1	178.3	178.2	149.1
Beverages (7)	126.9	126.9	126.3	126.5	126.9	127.8	126.7	128.6	128.9	126.1
Building Materials (14)	188.3	189.0	187.8	187.6	183.4	186.0	187.4	188.9	190.7	128.5
Industrial Mines (2)	527.7	528.1	506.2	520.0	523.4	517.3	520.3	532.2	524.9	403.0
19 UTILITIES	64.0	63.9	62.9	63.2	63.9	63.6	63.5	63.9	62.9	53.0
Transportation (2)	33.6	33.4	32.4	32.6	33.4	32.9	32.8	32.8	33.1	31.6
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	127.5	127.8	127.3	127.6	127.5	127.2	127.5	125.5	120.0	111.1
Power and Traction (15)	84.8	84.7	83.2	83.9	84.7	84.6	84.2	85.5	82.8	65.9
9 BANKS	93.3	93.3	92.8	92.7	93.0	92.8	92.9	92.9	92.1	77.8
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	140.4	141.5	137.9	137.7	139.5	137.8	138.7	144.0	144.5	156.6
Gold Stocks (21)	109.9	111.0	108.3	107.3	108.1	107.9	108.3	112.6	113.2	135.0
Base Metals (3)	266.7	267.6	260.0	263.6	269.6	261.4	265.1	274.3	273.8	246.3
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	114.8	114.9	115.0	114.9	114.7	114.9	114.9	114.5	113.0	116.1
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	69.4	69.3	69.0	69.3	69.7	69.3	69.4	69.9	72.4	68.5
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9368	4.9319	4.9250	4.9258	4.9267	4.9232	4.9282	4.9361	4.9284	5.0202
U.S. dollars	.9992	.9994	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	.9998	.9989	.9980	1.0027
French franc	.0446	.0446	.0445	.0445	.0045	.0445	.0445	.0446	.0448	.0660
Belgian belga	.1687	.1685	.1686	.1685	.1684	.1683	.1685	.1685	.1685	.1696
Netherlands florin	.5494	.5494	-	.5497	.5498	.5498	.5496	.5492	.5475	.6773
Japanese yen	.2877	.2873	.2876	.2870	.2870	.2865	.2872	.2875	.2874	.2941
Australian pound	3.9495	3.9456	3.9400	3.9406	3.9413	3.9385	3.9426	3.9489	3.9428	4.0162
Argentine peso - free rate	.3047	-	-	.3055	.3045	.3030	.3044	.3041	.3022	.2773

x Bank of Canada.

EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1936-1937

NOTE: The noon rates in Canadian Funds upon which these averages are based have been supplied by the Bank of Canada.

Former Gold Parities	New York Funds 4.8666	London Sterling 4.8666	France Franc .0392 (1)	Belgian Belga .1001	Italy Lira .0526 (2)	Switzerland Franc .1930 (3)	Holland Guilder .4020 (4)	Norway Kroner .2680	Sweden Kroner .2680	Denmark Kroner .2680
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
June	1.0026	5.0328	.0661	.1695	.0789	.3250	.6790	.2529	.2595	.2246
July	1.0008	5.0269	.0663	.1691	.0789	.3275	.6813	.2526	.2591	.2244
August	1.0001	5.0265	.0659	.1686	.0787	.3260	.6791	.2525	.2592	.2244
September	.9997	5.0390	.0647	.1689	.0786	.3174	.6671	.2532	.2598	.2249
October	.9997	4.8972	.0467	.1683	.0545	.2299	.5362	.2460	.2525	.2186
November	.9986	4.8817	.0464	.1688	.0525	.2295	.5392	.2452	.2516	.2179
December	.9993	4.9030	.0466	.1688	.0526	.2297	.5451	.2463	.2528	.2189
1937 - January	1.0003	4.9092	.0467	.1687	.0526	.2294	.5477	.2467	.2531	.2192
February	1.0002	4.8953	.0466	.1687	.0526	.2284	.5470	.2460	.2524	.2185
March	.9995	4.8824	.0460	.1684	.0526	.2278	.5467	.2453	.2517	.2180
April	.9987	4.9095	.0449	.1683	.0525	.2279	.5468	.2467	.2530	.2191
May	.9984	4.9313	.0447	.1684	.0525	.2283	.5484	.2478	.2542	.2201

Former Gold Parities	Spain Peseta .1930	Czecho-Slovakia Koruna .0296 (5)	Argentine Peso (Paper) .4244 Unofficial	Australia (Pound) 4.8666	Brazil Milreis .1196 Unofficial	Germany Reichs-mark .2382	India Rupee .3650	China (Shanghai) Dollar	Japan Yen .4985	Union of S.Africa (Pound) 4.8666	New Zealand (Pound) 4.8666
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
June	.1369	.0415	.2770	4.0262	.0568	.4038	.3797	.3001	.2948	5.0265	4.0587
July	.1373	.0416	.2729	4.0215	.0578	.4036	.3792	.3000	.2935	5.0206	4.0539
August	.1365	.0413	.2778	4.0210	.0584	.4023	.3794	.3007	.2941	5.0202	4.0538
September	.1365	.0413	.2833	4.0312	.0589	.4010	.3810	.2999	.2946	5.0327	4.0637
October	-	.0365	.2772	3.9178	.0585	.4019	.3698	.2938	.2860	4.8911	3.9488
November	-	.0354	.2765	3.9054	.0585	.4017	.3686	.2949	.2849	4.8760	3.9368
December	-	.0352	.2975	3.8820	.0594	.4019	.3706	.2954	.2849	4.8964	3.9528
1937 - January	-	.0350	.3024	3.9273	.0609	.4024	.3711	.2970	.2855	4.9031	3.9591
February	-	.0349	.3003	3.9162	.0611	.4023	.3699	.2964	.2854	4.8892	3.9485
March	-	.0349	.2998	3.9060	.0610	.4019	.3687	.2967	.2848	4.8763	3.9375
April	-	.0349	.3028	3.9276	.0625	.4015	.3708	.2969	.2860	4.9033	3.9592
May	-	.0348	.3029	3.9451	.0640	.4011	.3722	.2978	.2874	4.9251	3.9768

(1) French franc devalued September 26 - New Gold content temporarily established between 43 to 49 milligrammes.

(2) Italian lira devalued by 40.93 p.c. October 5. (3) Swiss franc devalued September 26 - No value fixed but held temporarily at a rate within 10 p.c. of its former nominal dollar parity. (4) Holland abandoned gold standard September 26 - No definite stabilization level for the Dutch guilder yet established. (5) Czecho-Slovakian crown devalued October 8 by 13.3 p.c. to 18.7 p.c. over and above the 16 2/3 p.c. devaluation of February, 1934.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, June 4-10
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INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

A second week without feature in stock markets left industrial and utility verages on June 10 at substantially the same levels from which they had started. Dis-illery issues recorded the only consistent advances although the industrial mines, achinery and equipment and foods also moved irregularly higher. The oil group lost an arlier five point gain on June 8 and 10, market leaders on the latter day tending to generally reactionary in sympathy with declines in both London and New York. Taking he week as a whole, however, price positions were well maintained with the volume of rading continuing to be very small. The Investors' index of Canadian industrial, util-y and bank stock prices registered a net gain of 1.0 for the week ended June 10, and losed at 131.2. Industrials advanced 1.7 to 212.9, utilities moved up 0.5 to 64.1, nd banks also increased fractionally to 93.0, up 0.2.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Cautious advances in gold stocks followed the establishment of a price of 34.72 for gold by British authorities on the London open market on June 4, and price verages registered moderate increases on four consecutive trading days. Then, they urned downward again losing on June 10 the greater part of earlier gains. Base metals ecorded advances in four out of the five sessions of the week and unlike gold issues, losed firm in the final day's trading. Sales volume remained at very low levels. The ureau's general price index for 24 mining stocks was 139.3 on June 10 as compared with 37.8 a week earlier. The gold section moved up from 107.9 to 108.8, and base metals rom 261.4 to 265.6. Weekly averages behaved somewhat differently, with the general ndex up 1.2 to 139.9, golds up 1.8 to 110.1, and base metals down 1.0 to 264.1.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term ond prices, on the base 1926=100, remained unchanged at 114.9 for the week ending June 0. Turnover, which has been very light since the beginning of March, showed no improve-ent but prices remained steady as demand continued to be in excess of supply. Among he Provincials, Easterns were little changed while Westerns were mixed. Several of the askatchewan issues weakened with the 4½'s of '55 declining a full two points while ritish Columbia's were generally firmer. British Consols dropped 5/8 of a point during he week but United States high-grades, as represented by the Dow-Jones average, moved slightly.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields fell from 69.4 for the eek of June 3 to 69.3 for the week ending June 10. Yields of the issues used in this ndex averaged 3.32 for the week as compared with 3.19 for the corresponding week of ast year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

Market quotations for leading foreign exchanges gave very little indication of he disturbed condition of the London gold market prior to the setting of a price of 34.72 per ounce on June 4. This represented an increase of nearly ten cents per ounce, nd Montreal sterling quotations for the 5th moved up over half a cent. Since then, owever, sterling has registered small fractional daily declines, and a noteworthy ecession has occurred in the flow of gold from London to New York. New York funds have een quoted at par since May 31, and fluctuations in other currencies have remained thin fractional limits.

Dates	4	5	JUNE 7	8	+9	10	Weekly Average June 4-10	Preceding Weekly Average May 28-June 3	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	131.9	132.0	132.0	132.1	-	131.2	131.8	131.3	131.5	113.7
68 INDUSTRIALS	214.3	214.5	214.8	214.8	-	212.9	214.1	214.0	215.3	187.8
Machinery and Equipment (8)	151.1	152.8	152.3	153.1	-	153.2	152.6	150.8	151.4	106.9
Pulp and Paper (6)	39.8	40.5	40.0	40.2	-	39.8	40.1	39.8	37.1	17.3
Milling (4)	104.0	103.1	103.5	103.5	-	102.9	103.5	105.0	110.6	86.1
Oils (4)	224.2	225.3	225.7	223.9	-	220.3	223.4	225.2	229.6	230.0
Textiles and Clothing (10)	77.8	78.2	78.1	77.8	-	78.0	77.9	77.2	77.9	67.4
Food and Allied Products (13)	178.7	179.0	178.3	179.5	-	179.7	178.9	178.1	179.6	149.8
Beverages (7)	127.5	127.7	128.1	129.8	-	133.4	131.4	126.7	127.8	125.6
Building Materials (14)	185.5	187.4	187.7	186.7	-	186.6	186.9	187.4	189.3	129.3
Industrial Mines (2)	526.6	523.7	524.8	528.1	-	523.1	526.6	520.3	518.4	403.2
19 UTILITIES	64.4	64.3	64.0	64.3	-	64.1	64.2	63.5	62.4	53.2
Transportation (2)	33.9	34.1	33.8	33.8	-	33.3	33.8	32.8	33.1	31.6
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	127.5	127.5	127.3	127.2	-	127.1	127.1	127.5	120.7	113.2
Power and Traction (15)	85.4	84.9	84.5	85.3	-	85.4	85.2	84.2	83.1	66.1
9 BANKS	92.9	93.5	93.6	93.2	-	93.0	93.0	92.9	92.6	77.5
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	139.2	139.3	140.9	140.9	-	139.3	139.9	138.7	140.1	157.6
Gold Stocks (21)	109.5	109.5	110.9	111.4	-	108.8	110.1	108.3	110.0	136.2
Base Metals (3)	262.3	262.6	264.8	263.1	-	265.6	264.1	265.1	264.3	246.4
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	114.9	114.9	-	114.9	-	114.9	114.9	114.9	113.6	116.7
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	69.3	69.3	-	69.3	-	69.4	69.3	69.4	71.6	67.4
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9283	4.9350	4.9344	4.9334	-	4.9333	4.9329	4.9282	4.9266	5.0261
U.S. dollars	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	-	1.0000	1.0000	.9998	.9976	1.0029
French franc	.0445	.0446	.0446	.0445	-	.0445	.0445	.0445	.0448	.0661
Belgian belga	.1683	.1683	.1684	.1685	-	.1686	.1684	.1685	.1684	.1695
Netherlands florin	.5498	.5499	.5498	.5498	-	.5498	.5498	.5496	.5479	.6778
Japanese yen	.2870	.2871	.2872	.2872	-	.2871	.2871	.2872	.2871	.2945
Australian pound	3.9426	3.9480	3.9475	3.9467	-	3.9466	3.9463	3.9426	3.9413	4.0208
Argentine peso - free rate	.3030	-	.3045	.3045	-	.3045	.3041	.3044	.3022	.2778

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Number of Securities 1937	INDUSTRIALS Total 68	Machinery and Equipment 8	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 4	Oils 4	Textiles and Clothing 10	Food and Allied Products 13	Beverages 7	Building Materials 14	Industrial Mines 2	UTILITIES Total 19	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 15	Banks 9	Grand Total 96
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	432.5	113.4	273.4	428.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	281.1	591.3	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	131.7	198.3
Low	199.3	184.7	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	179.1	256.2	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	116.7	134.6
x 1933 - High	129.2	99.8	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	84.9	190.0	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	81.1	82.5
Low	56.0	39.2	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	44.3	74.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	63.1	43.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	126.5	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	104.1	242.2	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	75.2	83.1
Low	111.8	78.2	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	79.5	187.0	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	64.4	69.5
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.7	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	118.0	377.9	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	79.8	98.8
Low	123.7	109.1	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	102.6	193.3	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	75.3	75.7
x 1936 - High	226.1	142.3	31.9	115.4	254.5	76.5	182.9	152.6	192.0	553.9	64.7	37.6	121.7	84.5	84.5	122.6
Low	180.2	102.0	16.5	79.5	216.5	65.6	145.2	122.8	123.6	371.2	50.6	28.1	108.8	63.2	76.6	98.6
1936																
January	187.7	118.2	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	127.3	387.2	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	78.6	112.9
February	200.0	125.0	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	135.4	418.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	82.6	120.7
March	194.8	122.2	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	131.7	416.3	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	79.6	117.4
April	194.2	114.3	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	134.1	401.8	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	77.5	115.9
May	187.9	108.0	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	128.6	394.8	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	77.7	112.8
June	189.3	106.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	77.8	113.8
July	190.1	102.4	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	425.5	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	77.2	114.3
August	191.4	103.0	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	79.0	114.7
1937																
January	222.0	156.3	37.2	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	94.4	137.4
February	228.8	163.4	36.7	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	96.7	142.4
March	241.7	168.3	40.2	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	95.9	147.2
April	224.1	157.5	47.1	117.4	230.4	79.9	182.4	133.4	204.8	538.9	64.1	35.0	122.0	85.1	94.0	136.2
May	216.4	151.3	38.5	109.4	229.6	77.5	178.5	128.4	188.4	525.8	63.0	32.8	124.7	84.0	92.7	132.2
Weekly Index Numbers																
June 11, 1936	187.8	106.9	17.3	86.1	230.0	67.4	149.8	125.6	129.3	403.2	53.2	31.6	113.2	66.1	77.5	113.7
1937																
May 13	215.3	151.4	37.1	110.6	229.6	77.9	179.6	127.8	189.3	518.4	62.4	33.1	120.7	83.1	92.6	131.5
May 20	215.5	147.8	37.0	107.1	229.2	77.1	177.7	127.5	184.4	524.9	62.4	32.2	121.1	83.5	92.8	131.5
May 27	218.2	150.0	38.1	108.5	231.5	77.2	178.3	128.6	188.9	532.2	63.9	32.8	125.5	85.5	92.9	133.3
June 3	214.0	150.8	39.8	105.0	225.2	77.2	178.1	126.7	187.4	520.3	63.5	32.8	127.5	84.2	92.9	131.3
June 10	214.1	152.6	40.1	103.5	223.4	77.9	178.9	131.4	186.9	526.6	64.2	33.8	127.1	85.2	93.0	131.8

x Weekly figures.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, JUNE 18-24.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Except for a few market leaders, industrial and utility common stocks moved dominantly downward during the week ended June 24. A one day rally on the 18th was lowed by four days of irregular recession, and then another moderate recovery on e 24. Strength latterly in International Nickel and C.P.R. was the principal market ture of the week, and this served to offset the influence on market price averages many minor declines. Milling and building material issues showed the only pronounced kness that was apparent. Fluctuations of the Investors' daily index of industrial, lity and bank stocks were unusually narrow, showing a net gain of 0.3 for the week 128.7. Industrials advanced 0.6 to 208.5, while utilities closed unchanged at 63.1. bank stock index moved down from 92.5 to 91.9.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Selling pressure forced prices for mining stocks sharply lower between June and 23, before a moderate rally occurred on the following day. Both base metals golds were affected, although movements in the gold section attracted most attention, h heavy sales of gold shares reported also from London and South Africa. The Bureau's ly gold index moved up from 105.2 on June 17 to 106.9 on the 19th, and then dropped 101.6 on the 23rd, with recovery limited to one full point on the following day. e metals advanced in the opening day of the week under review before falling from .1 on June 18 to 234.9 on the 23rd, and then closing at 244.4 the next day. The eral mining stock index recorded a net loss of 3.7 for the week ended June 24, the al daily figure being 130.2.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term i prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 114.8 for the week ending June 17 to 115.0 the week ending June 24. The success of the recent Quebec loan had a stimulating ect upon the market and the week opened with a good demand for selected issues. ever, turnover was light in the main and price movements narrow. Provincials were erally firm with the exception of Saskatchewan and Alberta maturities. Saskatchewans ved the greater weakness and declines up to 4 points were noted. British Consols ed down from 74 15/16 to 74 1/4 while the Dow-Jones average of 40 high grade United tes bonds changed from 101.07 to 100.69.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 69.4 the week ending June 17 to 69.1 for the week ending June 24. The average yield of issues used in this index was 3.31 as compared with 3.32 for the preceding week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

The Canadian dollar declined fractionally in terms of most leading exchanges ing the week ended June 24, with New York funds again moving to a slight premium sterling rates at Montreal mounting approximately one cent to $4.94¾. Spot rates the French franc were firmly maintained, but the discount on 90-day francs increased 33 points, up 17 points during the week. The London market price of bar gold anced two cents, closing at $34.71 on June 24. Argentine peso free rates have ently been firm, and are currently more than three cents above levels of a year ago.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	JUNE 18	19	21	22	23	24	Weekly Average June 18-24	Preceding Weekly Average June 11-17	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	129.5	129.4	128.5	127.4	127.3	128.7	128.3	129.0	133.3	115.7
68 INDUSTRIALS	210.4	210.2	208.3	206.4	206.6	208.5	208.1	209.1	218.2	192.1
Machinery and Equipment (8)	146.9	147.6	146.2	144.8	143.5	143.8	145.0	148.0	150.0	103.6
Pulp and Paper (6)	37.7	37.8	37.7	37.3	36.9	36.7	37.3	38.0	38.1	18.2
Milling (4)	105.0	104.8	104.9	105.7	99.8	101.0	102.1	105.0	108.5	87.4
Oils (4)	220.7	220.9	220.1	218.7	217.5	216.8	218.9	219.5	231.5	231.4
Textiles and Clothing (10)	78.0	78.1	78.2	77.9	77.5	77.8	77.9	78.0	77.2	66.7
Food and Allied Products (13)	177.2	176.9	177.0	176.2	174.6	175.8	176.0	178.5	178.3	149.7
Beverages (7)	132.1	132.4	131.3	130.5	128.8	129.5	130.2	132.6	128.6	128.1
Building Materials (14)	181.0	182.6	182.9	179.9	178.0	178.2	179.4	184.7	188.9	132.2
Industrial Mines (2)	512.3	509.6	500.8	494.5	501.4	514.5	507.0	503.7	532.2	425.8
19 UTILITIES	63.0	62.9	62.7	62.3	61.9	63.1	62.6	63.2	63.9	53.2
Transportation (2)	31.6	31.6	31.3	31.1	31.1	33.3	31.8	32.3	32.8	31.6
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	127.2	127.1	127.4	125.9	126.1	126.3	126.9	126.9	125.5	112.7
Power and Traction (15)	84.4	84.4	84.1	83.6	82.7	83.4	83.6	84.3	85.5	66.2
9 BANKS	92.4	92.4	92.3	92.0	92.0	91.9	92.0	92.6	92.9	78.1
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	135.4	135.6	133.4	129.0	127.6	130.2	130.1	135.0	144.0	154.9
Gold Stocks (21)	106.5	106.9	105.1	102.4	101.6	102.6	103.0	105.9	112.6	132.8
Base Metals (3)	255.1	254.4	250.7	239.1	234.9	244.4	243.4	256.2	274.3	246.7
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	114.9	115.0	115.1	115.0	115.0	114.8	115.0	114.8	114.5	117.4
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	69.3	69.0	68.9	69.0	69.1	69.4	69.1	69.4	69.9	66.2
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9383	4.9400	4.9415	4.9490	4.9473	4.9476	4.9440	4.9378	4.9361	5.0332
U.S. dollars	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0003	1.0006	1.0013	1.0004	1.0002	.9989	1.0027
French franc	.0445	.0445	.0446	.0446	.0446	.0446	.0446	.0445	.0446	.0661
Belgian belga	.1688	.1689	.1689	.1690	.1689	.1691	.1689	.1688	.1685	.1695
Netherlands florin	.5498	.5499	.5498	.5500	.5501	.5505	.5500	.5499	.5492	.6790
Japanese yen	.2872	.2872	.2872	.2877	.2878	.2876	.2875	.2889	.2875	.2949
Australian pound	3.9506	3.9520	3.9532	3.9592	3.9579	3.9581	3.9552	3.9502	3.9489	4.0265
Argentine peso - free rate	.3025	-	.3025	.3041	.3298	.3034	.3085	.3041	.3041	.2772

x Bank of Canada.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6	117.7
February ...	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0	115.3
March	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5	112.9
April	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7	112.7
May	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9	113.8
June	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0	-
July	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0	-
August	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1	-
September...	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1	-
October	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1	-
November....	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6	-
December ...	99.4	103.7	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4	64.6
February ...	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8	68.4
March	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9	72.7
April	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5	73.2
May	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8	71.0
June	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9	-
July	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1	-
August	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2	-
September...	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1	-
October	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2	-
November ...	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1	-
December ...	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO POPULAR BOND ISSUES, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by Wood, Gundy & Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.3	76.2	85.5	70.4
February ...	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6	74.3
March	101.3	101.3	95.0	110.6	100.0	90.2	79.5	77.3	78.5
April	103.3	101.3	95.0	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5	77.9
May	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6	74.5
June	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3	-
July	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0	-
August	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2	-
September ..	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	88.3	69.9	-
October	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2	-
November ...	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	71.8	-
December ...	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	82.7	69.7	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BONDS, 1937x

Date		Prices	Yields
April	1	112.7	73.2
	8	112.5	73.8
	15	112.6	73.5
	22	113.1	72.4
	29	112.5	73.3
May	6	113.0	72.4
	13	113.6	71.6
	20	113.8	71.3
	27	114.5	69.9
June	3	114.9	69.4
	10	114.9	69.3
	17	114.8	69.4
	24	115.0	69.1

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

MONTHLY AVERAGE OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919 - 1937
(From data issued by A.E. Ames Co. Limited)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928
January	5.72	5.67	6.08	5.52	5.10	5.05	4.87	4.85	4.74	4.33
February	5.67	5.72	5.94	5.46	5.03	5.06	4.84	4.84	4.69	4.35
March	5.51	5.81	5.98	5.42	5.04	5.07	4.85	4.86	4.72	4.37
April	5.40	5.87	6.09	5.40	5.05	5.12	4.86	4.86	4.65	4.38
May	5.40	5.97	6.02	5.37	5.07	5.09	4.85	4.86	4.59	4.35
June	5.33	6.05	6.07	5.43	5.05	5.08	4.78	4.87	4.65	4.53
July	5.43	6.15	6.05	5.41	5.05	5.03	4.85	4.86	4.68	4.58
August	5.46	6.22	6.05	5.41	5.07	4.98	4.87	4.86	4.60	4.66
September	5.47	6.33	6.05	5.37	5.07	4.91	4.87	4.86	4.63	4.62
October	5.51	6.40	6.06	5.40	5.13	4.86	4.89	4.86	4.56	4.67
November	5.51	6.52	5.80	5.44	5.16	4.86	4.90	4.86	4.51	4.66
December	5.60	6.35	5.65	5.32	5.11	4.88	4.86	4.82	4.38	4.71

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	4.72	4.96	4.56	5.47	4.68	4.52	3.44	3.52	3.14
February	4.77	4.92	4.54	5.45	4.66	4.42	3.55	3.44	3.32
March	4.97	4.91	4.46	5.30	4.74	4.18	3.47	3.39	3.53
April	4.90	4.82	4.37	5.33	4.69	4.07	3.51	3.37	3.55
May	4.86	4.78	4.34	5.31	4.61	4.07	3.47	3.34	3.45
June	5.05	4.77	4.29	5.42	4.53	3.99	3.56	3.25	-
July	5.05	4.76	4.29	5.22	4.54	3.89	3.50	3.16	-
August	4.95	4.66	4.29	4.88	4.48	3.78	3.48	3.07	-
September	4.99	4.56	4.64	4.79	4.49	3.75	3.87	3.06	-
October	5.03	4.54	5.11	4.67	4.54	3.85	3.83	3.21	-
November	5.02	4.54	5.23	4.78	4.58	3.75	3.62	3.16	-
December	4.92	4.56	5.42	4.83	4.62	3.46	3.67	3.11	-

x In 1919, 3 issues were used, viz. - 5% - 1931, 5½% - 1933 and 5½% - 1937. In January 1920, 5½% - 1934 was added. In October 1925, 5% - 1943 was substituted for 5% - 1931 while in January 1926, 5½% - 1933, 5½% - 1934 and 5½% - 1937 were dropped and 4½% - 1940, 4½% - 1944 and 4½% - 1936 were added. In January 1932, 4½% - 1948 and 4½% - 1949 were added and at the end of 1932, 4% - 1947 was substituted for 4½% - 1940. In January 1936, 4½% - 1947 and 3% - 1950 were substituted for 5% - 1943 and 4½% - 1944. This left as at present, 4½% - 1946, 4% - 1947, 4½% - 1948, 4½% - 1949, 3% - 1950, 4½% - 1947.

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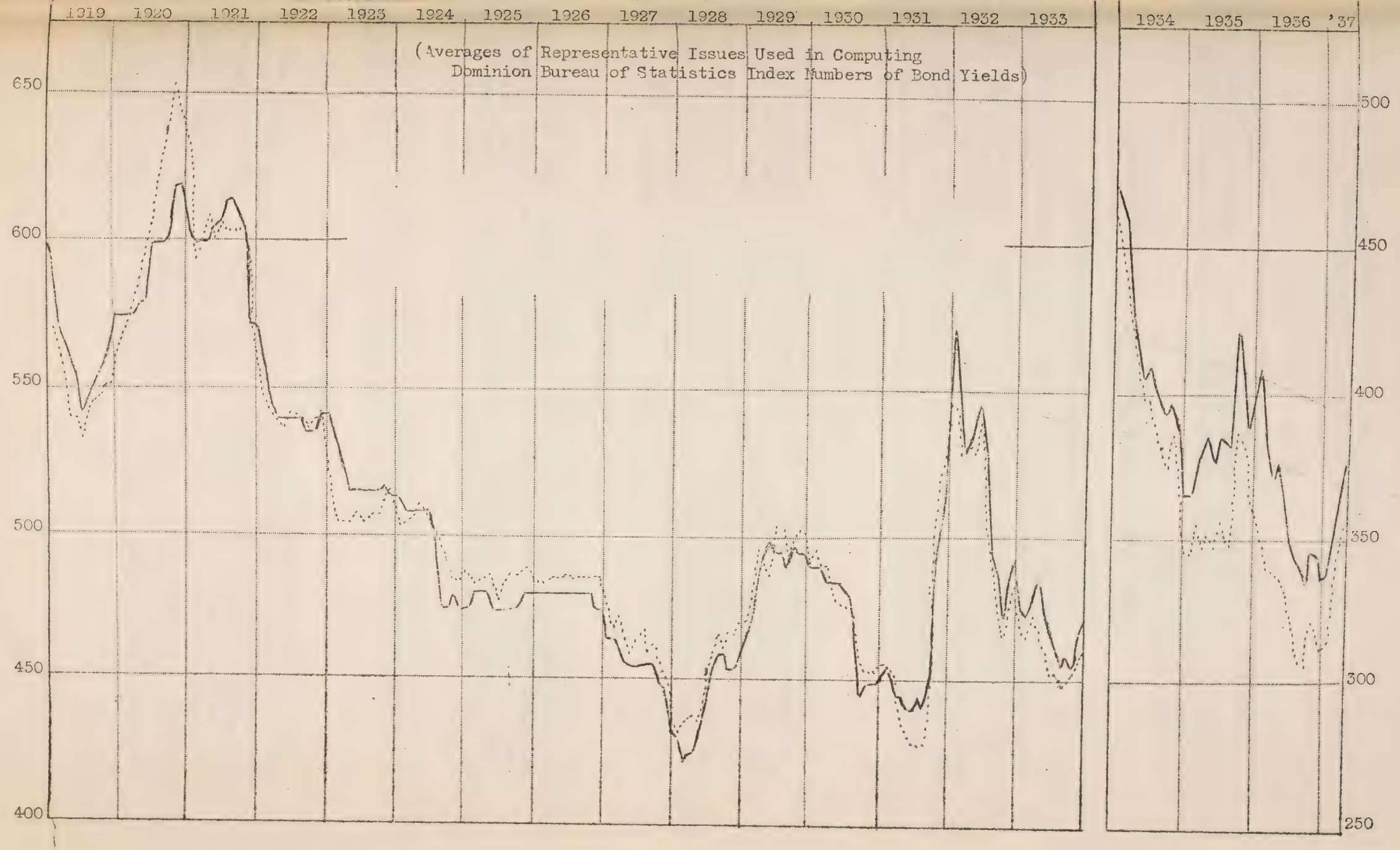
YIELD OF REPRESENTATIVE ONTARIO LONG-TERM BONDS, 1900 - 1937

(From data issued by Wood, Gundy & Co. Limited)

	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909	1910	1911	1912	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919
January	3.50	3.73	5.80	3.76	3.76	3.75	3.65	3.75	4.25	3.95	3.90	4.00	4.00	4.25	4.40	4.25	5.25	4.90	6.00	5.80
April	3.55	3.76	3.80	3.76	3.76	3.60	3.65	3.90	4.20	3.90	3.95	3.88	4.10	4.30	4.35	4.40	5.30	5.25	6.00	5.60
June	3.60	3.77	3.80	3.76	3.80	3.55	3.65	4.10	4.15	3.85	3.95	3.88	4.15	4.35	4.25	4.50	5.25	5.50	6.05	5.40
October	3.70	3.77	3.80	3.76	3.80	3.60	3.68	4.20	4.10	3.85	3.95	3.90	4.20	4.40	4.25	5.00	5.00	5.90	6.00	5.60
December	3.72	3.80	3.76	3.76	3.75	3.65	3.70	4.25	4.00	3.90	4.00	4.00	4.25	4.40	4.25	5.25	4.90	6.00	6.00	5.75

	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	5.75	6.00	5.60	5.40	5.10	4.75	4.80	4.65	4.50	4.65	4.90	4.55	5.74	4.75	4.66	3.65	4.10	3.37
February	5.75	6.00	5.50	5.30	5.08	4.80	4.80	4.65	4.20	4.70	4.90	4.55	5.55	4.73	4.60	3.75	3.83	3.56
March	5.75	6.00	5.45	5.25	5.08	4.80	4.80	[illegible]	[illegible]	4.85	4.85	[illegible]	5.30	4.79	[illegible]	3.81	3.70	3.76
April	5.80	6.00	5.40	5.15	5.08	4.80	4.80	4.56	4.25	4.95	4.85	4.45	5.33	4.85	4.20	3.87	3.76	3.73
May	5.80	6.05	5.40	5.15	5.08	4.75	4.80	4.55	4.35	5.00	4.85	4.40	5.42	4.70	4.06	3.76	3.67	3.57
June	6.00	6.05	5.40	5.15	5.07	4.75	4.80	4.55	4.40	4.95	4.83	4.40	5.48	4.65	4.09	3.85	3.51	-
July	6.00	6.15	5.40	5.15	4.96	4.75	4.80	4.55	4.50	4.90	4.80	4.45	5.30	4.63	3.98	3.84	3.4[illegible]	-
August	6.00	6.15	5.40	5.15	4.75	4.75	4.80	4.55	4.60	4.90	4.60	4.40	4.95	4.55	3.94	3.82	3.4[illegible]	-
September	6.00	6.10	5.35	5.15	4.75	4.75	4.80	4.55	4.60	5.00	4.45	4.65	4.88	4.59	3.93	4.23	3.35	-
October	6.20	6.05	5.35	5.17	4.80	4.80	4.80	4.50	4.55	4.95	4.50	4.95	4.70	4.53	3.97	4.09	3.46	-
November	6.20	5.72	5.40	5.14	4.75	4.80	4.75	4.47	4.55	4.95	4.50	5.05	4.90	4.66	3.88	3.87	3.44	-
December	6.15	5.72	5.42	5.14	4.75	4.80	4.75	4.35	4.60	4.90	4.50	5.20	4.92	4.72	3.65	3.96	3.34	-

Yields for months of February, March, May, July, August, September and November not obtained prior to 1920. Issues used 1934-1937 were 5% - 1948 and 4½% - 1950.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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, JUNE 25-JULY 1
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Common stock averages moved gradually lower between June 25 and 29. On the wing day the utilities index was maintained while the other groups showed narrow . The industrial market lacked outstanding features and the majority of losses were ional. In the utilities section, Beauharnois recorded a sharp gain on June 26 panied by heavy trading while strength was apparent for Bell Telephone until the . day (June 30). The Investors' daily index of industrial, utility and bank common s stood at 127.9 on June 30, showing a loss of 0.8 for the week ending July 1. trials were down 0.9 to 207.6 and utilities 0.6 to 62.5. Bank stocks were off 1.3 .6 and the weekly index of 90.9 was the lowest for 1937.

MINING STOCK PRICES

The general index of mining issues continued upward in the opening days of the the index mounting from 130.2 on June 24 to 134.7 on the 26. The uncertain ean financial situation exercised a restraining influence subsequently and prices ed to a minor extent. Golds held up fairly well under the leadership of the senior s, while base metal showed a slight weakness. However, mining stocks closed the ended June 30 with moderate gains, as prices on London and New York markets also higher. Sales volume remained small. The daily index for 24 mining issues moved om 130.2 to 134.2 between June 24 and 30, with the gold section advancing from 102.6 4.9 and the base metals from 244.4 to 255.3.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term prices, on the base 1926=100, remained unchanged at 115.0 for the week ending July 1. provement in demand was noticeable over the preceding week-end but the Wednesday t reflected the usual pre-holiday dullness. Provincials were featureless except ar as Saskatchewan and Alberta issues showed further weakness. British Consols up 1/8 and United States high-grades, as represented by the Dow-Jones average, were tly firmer.

The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields continued at 69.1 for eek ending July 1. The average yield of the six issues used in this index was 3.31 mpared with 3.13 for the corresponding week of last year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

The suspension of gold payments and a financial moratorium decreed by the nment on June 27 marked a turning point in the French Budget crisis. On June 30 enate agreed to give the Government more extensive powers to deal with financial ems, and within a few hours the formal devaluation of the franc was announced. It ntimated that the franc would be allowed to find its natural level, and New York tions at the end of the first day that trading was resumed (July 1) closed at cents, with 90 day rates ten points lower. Prior to the suspension of trading on 29, francs had been sold around 4.46 cents. New York funds at Montreal rose to a um of 0.28 p.c. on June 30 but subsequently reacted slightly. Sterling remained between $4.94 and $4.95.

Dates	JUNE 25	26	28	29	30	JULY ✓1	Weekly Average June 25-July 1	Preceding Weekly Average June 18-24	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	128.3	127.9	127.4	127.3	127.9	-	127.7	128.3	131.3	115.2
68 INDUSTRIALS	208.1	207.7	206.4	206.3	207.6	-	207.1	208.1	214.0	190.6
Machinery and Equipment (8)	145.2	143.5	143.5	142.0	142.7	-	143.4	145.0	150.8	102.6
Pulp and Paper (6)	36.9	36.7	35.6	35.2	35.6	-	35.9	37.3	39.8	18.0
Milling (4)	104.1	103.5	103.5	102.9	99.9	-	102.5	102.1	105.0	87.6
Oils (4)	217.1	217.2	215.9	215.9	217.2	-	216.6	218.9	225.2	229.4
Textiles and Clothing (10)	77.0	77.0	77.7	77.4	77.2	-	77.3	77.9	77.2	65.6
Food and Allied Products (13)	175.8	176.5	177.1	176.4	176.4	-	176.4	176.0	178.1	149.7
Beverages (7)	128.5	128.4	126.8	128.9	128.7	-	128.3	130.2	126.7	126.1
Building Materials (14)	180.0	180.4	179.3	178.5	178.3	-	179.3	179.4	187.4	132.8
Industrial Mines (2)	510.5	508.2	504.6	504.0	508.9	-	507.4	507.0	520.3	423.0
19 UTILITIES	62.9	62.3	62.5	62.5	62.5	-	62.5	62.6	63.5	53.6
Transportation (2)	32.5	31.0	31.0	31.1	31.5	-	31.2	31.8	32.8	32.1
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	127.8	128.5	129.1	129.1	128.5	-	128.5	126.9	127.5	112.9
Power and Traction (15)	83.2	83.2	83.5	83.6	83.3	-	83.4	83.6	84.2	66.4
9 BANKS	91.1	91.3	91.3	90.5	90.6	-	90.9	92.0	92.9	77.9
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	134.5	134.7	133.5	132.5	134.2	-	134.0	130.1	138.7	154.4
Gold Stocks (21)	105.8	106.0	105.5	104.2	104.9	-	105.4	103.0	108.3	132.9
Base Metals (3)	253.0	253.2	249.2	249.8	255.3	-	252.5	243.4	265.1	243.7
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	114.9	114.9	115.0	115.1	115.1	-	115.0	115.0	114.9	117.5
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	69.3	69.3	69.0	69.0	69.0	-	69.1	69.1	69.4	66.1
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9443	4.9437	4.9386	4.9431	4.9498	-	4.9439	4.9440	4.9282	5.0355
U.S. dollars	1.0013	1.0013	1.0016	1.0025	1.0028	-	1.0019	1.0004	.9998	1.0024
French franc	.0446	.0447	.0447	-	.0410	-	.0438	.0446	.0445	.0665
Belgian belga	.1691	.1691	.1691	.1691	.1688	-	.1690	.1689	.1685	.1694
Netherlands florin	.5505	.5506	.5507	.5505	.5505	-	.5506	.5500	.5496	.6825
Japanese yen	.2875	.2876	.2873	.2873	.2875	-	.2874	.2875	.2872	.2945
Australian pound	3.9554	3.9549	3.9509	3.9545	3.9598	-	3.9551	3.9552	3.9426	4.0284
Argentine peso - free rate	.3034	-	.3020	.3028	.3028	-	.3028	.3085	.3044	.2719

x Bank of Canada. ✓ Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges closed.

EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1936-1937

NOTE: The noon rates in Canadian Funds upon which these averages are based have been supplied by the Bank of Canada.

Former Gold Parities	New York Funds	London Sterling 4.8666	France Franc .0392 (1)	Belgian Belga .1001	Italy Lira .0526 (2)	Switzerland Franc .1930 (3)	Holland Guilder .4020 (4)	Norway Kroner .2680	Sweden Kroner .2680	Denmark Kroner .2680
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
August	1.0001	5.0265	.0659	.1686	.0787	.3260	.6791	.2525	.2592	.2244
September	.9997	5.0390	.0647	.1689	.0786	.3174	.6671	.2532	.2598	.2249
October	.9997	4.8972	.0467	.1683	.0545	.2299	.5362	.2460	.2525	.2186
November	.9986	4.8817	.0464	.1688	.0525	.2295	.5392	.2452	.2516	.2179
December	.9993	4.9030	.0466	.1688	.0526	.2297	.5451	.2463	.2528	.2189
1937										
January	1.0003	4.9092	.0467	.1687	.0526	.2294	.5477	.2467	.2531	.2192
February	1.0002	4.8953	.0466	.1687	.0526	.2284	.5470	.2460	.2524	.2185
March	.9995	4.8824	.0460	.1684	.0526	.2278	.5467	.2453	.2517	.2180
April	.9987	4.9095	.0449	.1683	.0525	.2279	.5468	.2467	.2530	.2192
May	.9984	4.9313	.0447	.1684	.0525	.2283	.5484	.2478	.2542	.2201
June	1.0005	4.9380	.0444	.1688	.0526	.2289	.5500	.2481	.2546	.2204

Former Gold Parities	Spain Peseta .1930	Czecho-Slovakia Koruna .0296 (5)	Argentine Peso (Paper) .4244 Unofficial	Australia (Pound) 4.8666	Brazil Milreis .1196 Unofficial	Germany Reichs-mark .2382	India Rupee .3650	China (Shanghai) Dollar .4985	Japan Yen	Union of S. Africa (Pound) 4.8666	New Zealand (Pound) 4.8666
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
August	.1365	.0413	.2778	4.0210	.0584	.4023	.3794	.3007	.2941	5.0202	4.0538
September	.1365	.0413	.2833	4.0312	.0589	.4010	.3810	.2999	.2946	5.0327	4.0637
October	-	.0365	.2772	3.9178	.0585	.4019	.3698	.2938	.2860	4.8911	3.9488
November	-	.0354	.2765	3.9054	.0585	.4017	.3686	.2949	.2849	4.8760	3.9368
December	-	.0352	.2975	3.8820	.0594	.4019	.3706	.2954	.2849	4.8964	3.9528
1937											
January	-	.0350	.3024	3.9273	.0609	.4024	.3711	.2970	.2855	4.9031	3.9591
February	-	.0349	.3003	3.9162	.0611	.4023	.3699	.2964	.2854	4.8892	3.9485
March	-	.0349	.2998	3.9060	.0610	.4019	.3687	.2967	.2848	4.8763	3.9375
April	-	.0349	.3028	3.9276	.0625	.4015	.3708	.2969	.2860	4.9033	3.9592
May	-	.0348	.3029	3.9451	.0640	.4011	.3722	.2978	.2874	4.9251	3.9768
June	-	.0348	.3049	3.9504	.0656	.4009	.3726	.2969	.2877	4.9252	3.9822

(1) French franc devalued September 26 - New Gold content established between 43 to 49 milligrammes from Oct.1, 1936 to June 29, 1937.
(2) Italian lira devalued by 40.93 p.c. October 5. (3) Swiss franc devalued September 26 - No value fixed but held temporarily at a rate within 10 p.c. of its former nominal dollar parity. (4) Holland abandoned gold standard September 26 - No definite stabilization level for the Dutch guilder yet established. (5) Czecho-Slovakian crown devalued October 8 by 13.3 p.c. to 18.7 p.c. over and above the 16 2/3 p.c. devaluation of February, 1934.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, JULY 2-JULY 8
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INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

An impressive rally in prices of common stocks occurred during the week ended uly 8 and trading was quite active in the latter part of the week. In the industrial ection all sub-groups moved higher and the majority of losses for the preceding five eeks were erased. Industrial Mines, Building Materials, Machinery and Equipment and ulp and Paper recorded substantial gains. Utilities were comparatively quiet and ransportation and Telephone and Telegraph showed slight declines, moving against the eneral upward trend. The Investors' price index for industrial, utility and bank tocks advanced 4.4 points to 131.4 for the week ending July 8 with industrials up from 07.6 to 216.6 and utilities from 62.5 to 63.4.

MINING STOCK PRICES

The general index of twenty-four mining issues moved steadily forward on odest trading from 134.2 on June 30 to 141.9 on July 8. The greatest increase recorded n July 6, reflected improved market confidence generated by the more favourable United tates Labour situation and the easing of the French financial situation as evidenced y the lowering of the official discount rate by the Bank of France. It received irect support also from the higher prices for base metals on the London market. Golds ounted gradually from 104.9 on June 30 to 108.8 on July 7, and closed the week at 08.4. Fluctuations were limited to fractions in the latter part of the week. Base etals made additional headway, and the index was carried up to levels of about two onths ago. The index for this group was 280.4 for July 8 as compared with 255.3 for he corresponding day last week.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term ond prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 115.0 for the week ending July 1 to 115.1 or the week ending July 8. Demand was good although a small turnover reflected a carcity of offerings. Fractional gains were well distributed. Provincials, with the xception of the Prairie Provinces, continued reasonably steady. Saskatchewan maturities ere again heavily hit with recessions ranging up to 5 points, while Manitoba also howed appreciable losses. British Consols strengthened in the latter part of the week o finish 3/8 higher, and the Dow-Jones average of 40 high-grade United States bonds dvanced 1.53 points to 108.47. The decrease in industrial disputes was credited with ontributing to a better tone in bonds at New York.

The Index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields remained at 69.1 for he week under review. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.31 s compared with 3.11 for a year ago.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

The French franc remained steady at 3.88 cents throughthe greater part of the eek subsequent to devaluation on June 30. It was intimated that sales of francs by he French Equalization Fund prevented a sharper recovery from the low point of 3.83 ents on July 1. London gold prices advanced to $34.81 per ounce during the week due rincipally it was believed, to extensive covering of short franc positions. Montreal ates on sterling continued firm at between $4.96 and $4.97, while the premium on ew York funds moved rather uncertainly, first dropping from 1/8 to 1/16 and then mov- ng up again to 3/16 of one per cent.

Dates	JULY 2	+3	5	6	7	8	Weekly Average July 2-8	Preceding Weekly Average June 25-July 1	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	[illegible]	-	129.8	131.7	131.9	132.3	131.4	127.7	131.8	114.6
68 INDUSTRIALS	[illegible]	-	211.8	215.0	215.5	216.6	214.8	207.1	214.1	189.9
Machinery and Equipment (8)	144.3	-	143.9	148.4	149.3	149.8	148.0	143.4	152.6	102.0
Pulp and Paper (6)	36.2	-	36.8	38.5	40.3	42.4	41.3	35.9	40.1	18.5
Milling (4)	104.1	-	104.1	104.5	105.8	104.9	104.5	102.5	103.5	86.7
Oils (4)	219.2	-	221.3	222.1	221.4	221.3	221.2	216.6	223.4	228.3
Textiles and Clothing (10)	77.1	-	77.4	77.7	79.3	79.3	78.3	77.3	77.9	65.6
Food and Allied Products (13)	176.4	-	178.1	179.4	180.7	181.5	179.8	176.4	178.9	150.3
Beverages (7)	128.1	-	130.1	132.4	133.3	133.1	132.6	128.3	131.4	127.8
Building Materials (14)	181.5	-	182.9	187.2	190.8	192.0	188.1	179.3	186.9	133.8
Industrial Mines (2)	514.7	-	521.4	534.0	535.2	540.5	531.3	507.4	526.6	419.9
19 UTILITIES	62.1	-	62.6	63.6	63.6	63.4	63.3	62.5	64.2	53.0
Transportation (2)	30.5	-	31.3	31.3	31.3	30.3	30.9	31.2	33.8	31.6
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	128.0	-	127.8	127.8	127.6	128.1	127.8	128.5	127.1	111.8
Power and Traction (15)	83.4	-	83.9	85.9	85.9	86.3	85.6	83.4	85.2	66.0
9 BANKS	90.4	-	90.6	90.8	90.6	90.7	90.6	90.9	93.0	77.3
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	136.0	-	136.8	139.9	141.4	141.9	139.3	134.0	139.9	155.3
Gold Stocks (21)	105.5	-	107.1	108.2	108.8	108.4	107.7	105.4	110.1	134.2
Base Metals (3)	262.1	-	259.9	271.4	276.5	280.4	271.9	252.5	264.1	243.2
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.0	-	115.0	115.0	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.0	114.9	117.7
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	69.0	-	69.0	69.2	68.9	68.9	68.9	69.1	69.3	65.7
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9506	4.9524	4.9537	4.9596	4.9665	4.9613	4.9574	4.9439	4.9329	5.0281
U.S. dollars	1.0016	1.0013	1.0013	1.0007	1.0022	1.0019	1.0015	1.0019	1.0000	1.0013
French franc	.0385	.0385	.0386	.0386	.0388	.0387	.0386	.0438	.0445	.0664
Belgian belga	.1687	.1686	.1686	.1686	.1687	.1687	.1687	.1690	.1684	.1694
Netherlands florin	.5507	.5505	.5507	.5502	.5509	.5507	.5506	.5506	.5498	.6824
Japanese yen	.2876	.2879	.2879	.2882	.2886	.2881	.2881	.2874	.2871	.2449
Australian pound	3.9605	3.9619	3.9629	3.9677	3.9733	3.9690	3.9682	3.9551	3.9463	4.0223
Argentine peso - free rate	.3020	-	-	.3018	.3027	.3026	.3023	.3028	.3041	.2734

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Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES					
Number of Securities 1937	Total 68	Machinery and Equipment 8	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 4	Oils 4	Textiles and Clothing 10	Food and Allied Products 13	Beverages 7	Building Materials 14	Industrial Mines 2	Total 19	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 15	Banks 9	Grand Total 96
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	432.5	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	281.1	591.3	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	131.7	198.3
Low	199.3	184.7	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	179.1	256.2	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	116.7	134.6
x 1933 -High	129.2	99.8	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	84.9	190.0	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	81.1	82.5
Low	56.0	39.2	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	44.3	74.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	63.1	43.3
x 1934 -High	133.4	126.5	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	104.1	242.2	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	75.2	83.1
Low	111.8	78.2	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	79.5	187.0	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	64.4	69.5
x 1935 -High	180.5	130.7	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	118.0	377.9	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	79.8	98.8
Low	123.7	109.1	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	87.1	102.6	193.3	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	75.3	75.7
x 1936 -High	226.1	142.3	31.9	115.4	254.5	76.5	182.9	152.6	192.0	553.9	64.7	37.6	121.7	84.5	84.5	122.6
Low	180.2	102.0	[illegible]	79.5	216.5	65.6	145.2	122.8	123.6	371.2	50.6	28.1	108.8	63.2	76.6	98.6
1936																
January	187.7	118.2	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	127.3	387.2	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	78.6	112.9
February	200.0	125.0	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	152.7	135.4	418.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	82.6	120.7
March	194.8	122.2	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	131.7	416.3	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	79.6	117.4
April	194.2	114.3	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	134.1	401.8	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	77.5	115.9
May	187.9	103.0	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.[illegible]	145.7	131.4	128.6	394.3	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	77.7	112.8
June	189.3	106.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	128.3	131.0	417.8	53.3	31.2	110.5	66.4	77.8	113.8
July	190.1	102.4	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	425.5	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	77.2	114.3
August	195.4	103.0	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	79.0	114.7
1937																
January	222.0	156.3	37.2	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	94.4	137.4
February	228.8	163.4	36.7	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	96.7	142.4
March	241.7	169.3	40.2	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	95.9	147.2
April	224.1	157.5	47.1	117.4	230.4	79.9	182.4	133.4	204.8	538.9	64.1	35.0	122.0	85.1	94.0	136.2
May	216.4	151.3	38.5	109.4	229.6	77.5	178.5	128.4	188.4	525.8	63.0	32.8	124.7	84.0	92.7	132.2
June	210.1	148.1	38.2	103.7	220.2	77.7	177.7	131.0	179.6	510.8	63.2	32.3	127.3	84.1	92.3	129.4
Weekly Index Numbers																
July 9, 1936	189.9	102.0	18.5	86.7	228.3	65.6	150.3	127.8	133.8	419.9	53.0	31.6	111.8	66.0	77.3	114.6
1937																
June 17	209.1	158.0	38.0	105.0	219.5	78.0	178.5	132.6	184.7	503.7	63.2	32.3	126.9	84.3	92.6	129.0
June 24	208.1	146.0	37.3	102.1	218.9	77.9	176.0	130.2	179.4	507.0	62.6	31.8	126.9	85.6	92.0	128.3
July 1	207.1	143.4	35.9	102.5	216.6	77.3	176.4	128.3	179.3	507.4	62.5	31.2	128.5	83.4	90.9	127.7
July 8	214.8	148.0	41.3	104.5	221.2	78.3	179.8	132.6	188.1	531.3	63.3	30.9	127.8	85.6	90.6	131.4

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, JULY 9-JULY 15
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Following a noteworthy rally during the week ended July 8, common stock markets eceded generally on July 9 and 10. A short lived reaction occurred on the 12th but lmost immediately the downward tendency was resumed. In the Industrial section, weakness as apparent for building materials, machinery and equipment and pulp and paper. Beverages oved against the declining trend showing a moderate net gain for the week, and oils and extiles also registered minor gains. Utilities were comparatively steady during this eriod except on the first and final days of trading when losses were fairly general. The nvestors' daily price index for industrial, utility and bank stocks recorded a net loss f 0.7 for the week ended July 15, dropping to 131.6. Industrials declined 0.6 to 216.0 nd utilities 0.7 to 62.7. Banks also moved down fractionally from 90.7 to 90.1.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Subsequent to a week of rising prices, little definite trend was apparent on he Canadian mining stock market on the 9 and 10 of July. A brisk upward movement in old featured the middle of the week and the index for this section advanced from 108.6 n July 10 to 110.9 on July 14. As profit-taking set in on the final day of the week he index was fractionally lower at 109.6. Interest in the base metal group was dull nd the index drifted irregularly lower from 280.9 to 276.7 between July 9 and 15. Trad- ng during the past week was heavier, expansion in volume being noticed in the latter art of the period. The general price index of 24 mining stocks mounted 3.4 to 142.7 or the week ending July 15, with the gold group up 2.4 to 110.1 and base metals up 6.8 to 78.7.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term ond prices, on the base 1926=100, declined from 115.1 for the week ending July 8 to 15.0 for the week ending July 15. Volume was light in the early part of the week and ids moved fractionally lower. Later, a little firmer tone developed and losses were omewhat reduced. Among the Provincials, Saskatchewan was outstanding with declines on he bid side ranging from 2 to 8 points. Since June 1, the issues of this province have ropped considerably with decreases varying from 14 points for the 4's of '53 to 20.5 oints for the 5's of '58. British Consols closed unchanged at £75 while the Dow-Jones verage of 40 high-grade United States bonds increased from 101.47 to 101.63. The index or Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 69.1 for the week of July 8 o 69.2 for the week ending July 15. The average yield of the issues used in this index as 3.31 as compared with 3.08 for the corresponding week of last year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

The announcement of the new tax bill was followed by a rise in French franc ates but continued sales on the part of the French Equalization Fund were regarded as aving moderated this advance. Other European currencies ruled comparatively strong. sharp rise in the guilder on the 13th coincided with the sale of dollars by the Dutch onetary authorities for the purpose of reducing the inflow of capital into Holland. he margin on profits between the London and New York price of gold narrowed and on the th for the first time since May 1 no engagements of gold from overseas to the United tates were recorded. London gold quotations remained in the neighbourhood of $34.85 Canadian funds) throughout the week. Reports indicated that demand exceeded supplies d that the British Equalization Fund was a steady seller during this period. Sterling Montreal rose from $4.966 on July 9 to $4.979 on the 13th and closed at $4.977. The emium on United States funds remained at 0.19 of 1 p.c. The French franc was quoted 3.88¢ on the 9th and 10th and on the following day advanced to 3.89¢, where it rested r the remainder of the week.

Dates	JULY 9	10	12	13	14	15	Weekly Average July 9-15	Preceding Weekly Average July 2-8	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	131.8	131.6	132.5	132.1	131.8	131.6	131.9	131.4	129.0	115.4
68 INDUSTRIALS	216.0	215.4	217.3	216.4	215.7	216.0	216.1	214.8	209.1	191.0
Machinery and Equipment (8)	147.7	146.9	149.5	149.8	148.7	147.6	148.4	148.0	148.0	101.6
Pulp and Paper (6)	41.4	41.3	41.2	40.4	39.9	39.7	40.4	41.3	38.0	19.2
Milling (4)	104.9	104.9	104.1	103.0	103.4	103.4	103.4	104.5	105.0	85.6
Oils (4)	221.6	221.1	222.1	222.5	221.3	221.7	221.6	221.2	219.5	228.1
Textiles and Clothing (10)	79.5	79.6	79.6	79.6	79.6	79.7	79.6	78.3	78.0	68.7
Food and Allied Products (13)	182.1	181.7	182.0	182.0	182.2	181.5	181.9	179.8	178.5	152.2
Beverages (7)	132.2	132.9	133.3	132.7	135.3	137.1	135.9	132.6	132.6	150.4
Building Materials (14)	191.7	190.7	191.1	190.2	188.9	188.4	190.1	188.1	184.7	137.1
Industrial Mines (2)	537.8	535.4	544.1	538.2	536.6	537.1	539.0	531.3	503.7	423.5
19 UTILITIES	63.0	63.1	63.3	63.3	63.3	62.7	63.1	63.3	63.2	53.6
Transportation (2)	29.8	30.0	29.8	29.8	29.8	29.3	29.8	30.9	32.3	32.6
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	127.7	127.7	128.1	127.7	127.3	127.6	127.6	127.8	126.9	112.0
Power and Traction (15)	85.9	86.0	86.6	86.7	86.7	85.8	86.3	85.6	84.3	66.3
9 BANKS	90.8	90.5	90.7	90.7	90.2	90.1	90.6	90.6	92.6	77.0
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	142.0	141.1	143.0	143.2	142.9	142.1	142.7	139.3	135.0	155.1
Gold Stocks (21)	108.4	108.6	110.1	110.7	110.9	109.6	110.1	107.7	105.9	132.9
Base Metals (3)	280.9	275.8	279.4	277.9	275.4	276.7	278.7	271.9	256.2	247.4
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.1	115.0	115.0	115.0	115.0	115.0	115.0	115.1	114.8	118.0
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	68.9	69.2	69.2	69.2	69.2	69.2	69.2	69.1	69.4	65.1
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9662	4.9693	4.9759	4.9786	4.9764	4.9766	4.9738	4.9574	4.9378	5.0318
U.S. dollars	1.0019	1.0019	1.0019	1.0019	1.0019	1.0019	1.0019	1.0015	1.0002	1.0011
French franc	.0388	.0388	.0389	.0389	.0389	.0389	.0389	.0386	.0445	.0663
Belgian belga	.1687	.1687	.1687	.1687	.1687	.1687	.1687	.1687	.1688	.1694
Netherlands florin	.5508	.5509	.5508	.5519	.5519	.5519	.5514	.5506	.5499	.6821
Japanese yen	.2882	.2886	.2886	.2898	.2896	.2896	.2891	.2881	.2889	.2938
Australian pound	3.9729	3.9754	3.9807	3.9829	3.9812	3.9815	3.9791	3.9659	3.9502	4.0253
Argentine peso - free rate	.3026	-	.3011	.3011	.3006	.3016	.3014	.3023	.3041	.2710

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INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY-FOUR MINING STOCKS
(1926=100)

umber of Stocks 1937	Gold 21	Base Metal 3	Total Index 24
1928 - High	137.2	322.2	138.6
Low	75.4	105.7	107.3
1929 - High	89.7	318.0	127.9
Low	52.7	157.3	72.6
1930 - High	66.7	203.1	88.3
Low	53.3	56.4	56.7
1931 - High	79.5	108.3	85.4
Low	54.4	49.9	54.8
1932 - High	63.1	82.3	64.8
Low	48.5	42.5	46.8
1933 - High	111.9	144.1	116.7
Low	64.9	68.2	65.1
1934 - High	140.1	167.6	143.3
Low	103.1	125.0	107.3
1935 - High	131.2	211.7	136.7
Low	104.7	128.6	114.9
1936 - High	136.2	322.1	170.3
Low	118.3	205.5	135.4
36			
nuary	124.8	214.8	142.4
bruary	130.2	230.4	149.8
rch	122.7	232.2	144.2
ril	122.8	241.1	145.8
y	128.9	239.2	150.3
ne	134.4	246.0	156.1
ly	134.4	254.1	157.6
gust	132.6	264.0	158.1
ptember	131.2	267.1	157.6
tober	126.4	289.4	158.2
vember	131.8	312.5	167.0
cember	131.3	317.8	167.7
37			
nuary	137.5	329.6	174.6
bruary	139.4	344.8	177.2
rch	133.0	340.5	172.6
ril	120.0	288.0	154.1
y	111.3	269.3	142.1
ne	105.9	255.0	134.7
ekly Index Numbers			
ek ending June 3rd	108.3	265.1	138.7
" " " 10th	110.1	264.1	139.9
" " " 17th	105.9	256.2	135.0
" " " 24th	103.0	243.4	130.1
" " July 1st	105.4	252.5	134.0
" " " 8th	107.7	271.9	139.3
" " " 15th	110.1	278.7	142.7

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, JULY 16-JULY 22.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

The second marked rally of this month occurred in common stock prices between July 16 and 20 when the daily index moved up from 131.9 to 134.7. This is the highest reached since the pronounced decline in the closing days of April brought the index to the lowest level of the current year. A reaction set in on July 21 and most of the losses were regained on the final day. In the industrial section all sub-groups, with the exception of milling, recorded gains and International Nickel and Fanny Farmer were the principal market features of the week. Utilities followed the lead of industrials with power and traction and telephone and telegraph showing moderate gains, Brazilian was the active leader in this group following an announcement of sales of gold by United States to Brazil. The Investors' index of Canadian industrial, utility and bank stocks registered a net gain of 2.9 for the week ended July 22 and closed at 134.5. Industrials advanced 5.1 to 221.1 and utilities 1.3 to 64.0. The bank stock index moved down from 90.1 to 89.9.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Further improvement was shown on the Canadian stock markets on July 17, 19 and 20, with the greatest sales occurring on those days but the volume for the week remained comparatively light. Golds moved upward from 109.2 on July 16 to 110.9 the 20th and general strength was apparent in the base metals, when the index gained 10 points up to 286.0. This moderate advance for all stocks was followed by a reversed trend which was attributed principally to seasonal dullness and the usual profit-taking after a few days rally. Although stocks were inclined to ease on the final days of the week, movements were narrow. Senior golds were irregular with Dome, the main feature and base metals fluctuated within very limited range. The general weekly index of twenty-four mines mounted fractionally from 142.7 to 143.6, with the gold group advancing from 110.1 to 110.2 and base metals from 278.7 to 282.6.

LONG TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, remained at 115.0 for the week ending July 22. Turnover was light with prices largely undisturbed. Among the Provincials, Saskatchewans were again to the fore. The 4½'s of 1945 dropped sharply but the majority of the issues were steady to strong with the 5's of 1958 showing a gain of 6 points for the week. The new Province of Ontario short-term issue for $20 millions was quickly taken up and the proceeds will be used to retire maturing obligations. British Consols moved slightly lower but the Dow-Jones average of 40 high-grade United States bonds was firm. The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 69.2 for the week ending July 15 to 69.0 for the week ending July 22. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.30 as compared with 3.31 for the week preceding.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Heavy selling and the withdrawal of support by the French Stabilization fund were accompanied by a sharp drop in the French franc on the 16th, the first since devaluation. Co-incidental with the decline, were unsupported rumours of the resignation of the French Ministry. These were later denied but weakness continued and spot rates at New York fell from 3.87 15/16¢ on the 15th to 3.71 3/8¢ in early trading on the 22nd but later in the day recovered to 3.74¢. The discount on ninety-day francs widened from 11¾ points on the 15th to 18 7/8 on the 16th but had been reduced to 14 points by the 21st. Reports indicated that the gold stocks of the United States Treasury had been reduced during this period partly by sales to China and also by a somewhat steady flow of Oriental balances from New York to London. The French franc at Montreal declined steadily from 3.84¢ on the 16th to 3.74¢ on the 22. Premium on the United States dollar moved down from 0.19 of 1 p.c. on the 16th to 0.14 of 1 p.c. on the 22nd.

Dates	JULY 16	17	19	20	21	22	Weekly Average July 16-22	Preceding Weekly Average July 9-15	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	131.9	133.0	133.3	134.7	134.0	134.5	133.7	131.9	128.3	116.3
68 INDUSTRIALS	216.2	218.1	218.7	221.5	220.1	222.1	219.7	216.1	208.1	192.8
Machinery and Equipment (8)	148.8	148.0	148.5	149.0	149.7	149.3	149.0	148.4	145.0	103.1
Pulp and Paper (6)	39.7	40.3	41.0	41.0	41.1	40.5	40.7	40.4	37.3	18.6
Milling (4)	102.0	101.8	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.2	101.1	103.4	102.1	88.6
Oils (4)	223.1	224.2	222.5	224.5	223.2	223.5	223.4	221.6	218.9	228.5
Textiles and Clothing (10)	79.0	79.8	79.8	80.5	81.1	81.1	79.9	79.6	77.9	69.6
Food and Allied Products (13)	181.0	181.4	181.7	182.4	182.1	184.5	182.4	181.9	176.0	155.2
Beverages (7)	136.1	137.5	138.1	138.8	138.3	138.8	137.4	135.9	130.2	130.2
Building Materials (14)	187.3	187.2	188.0	188.6	189.2	189.6	188.3	190.1	179.4	137.9
Industrial Mines (2)	536.1	544.0	550.5	561.6	556.5	561.4	555.7	539.0	507.0	432.4
19 UTILITIES	63.2	63.6	63.9	64.2	63.9	64.0	63.7	63.1	62.6	54.0
Transportation (2)	28.5	29.0	28.8	29.0	29.0	28.8	28.8	29.8	31.8	33.4
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	127.2	127.6	127.6	127.8	128.7	128.7	128.2	127.6	126.9	111.7
Power and Traction (15)	87.5	87.9	88.7	89.2	88.4	88.8	88.3	86.3	83.6	66.4
9 BANKS	90.0	90.0	89.9	89.9	89.9	89.9	89.9	90.6	92.0	76.8
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	142.1	141.9	143.8	145.0	144.3	143.5	143.6	142.7	130.1	159.0
Gold Stocks (21)	109.2	109.6	110.6	110.9	110.6	109.6	110.2	110.1	103.0	134.6
Base Metals (3)	278.5	276.0	281.2	286.0	284.0	283.8	282.6	278.7	243.4	260.5
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.0	115.0	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.0	115.0	115.0	118.0
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	69.1	69.0	69.0	69.0	69.0	68.9	69.0	69.2	69.1	65.0
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONSx - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9758	4.9810	4.9830	4.9911	4.9893	4.9838	4.9848	4.9738	4.9440	5.0304
U.S. dollars	1.0019	1.0017	1.0019	1.0017	1.0016	1.0014	1.0017	1.0019	1.0004	1.0007
French franc	.0384	.0378	.0378	.0376	.0376	.0374	.0378	.0389	.0446	.0663
Belgian belga	.1686	.1685	.1686	.1686	.1687	.1684	.1686	.1687	.1689	.1692
Netherlands florin	.5519	.5518	.5519	.5530	.5532	.5536	.5526	.5514	.5500	.6813
Japanese yen	.2893	.2895	.2896	.2901	.2902	.2901	.2898	.2891	.2875	.2936
Australian pound	3.9806	3.9848	3.9865	3.9929	3.9914	3.9901	3.9879	3.9791	3.9552	4.0246
Argentine peso - free rate	.3021	-	.3016	.3020	.3020	.3019	.3019	.3014	.3085	.2733

x Bank of Canada.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1929 - 1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
anuary	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6	117.7
ebruary	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0	115.3
arch	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5	112.9
pril	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7	112.7
ay	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9	113.8
une	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0	114.9
ily	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0	-
ugust	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1	-
eptember ...	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1	-
ctober	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1	-
ovember	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6	-
ecember	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
nuary	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4	64.6
bruary ...	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8	68.4
rch	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9	72.7
ril	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5	73.2
y	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8	71.0
ne	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9	69.3
ly	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1	-
gust	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2	-
ptember ..	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1	-
tober	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2	-
vember ...	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1	-
cember ...	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO POPULAR BOND ISSUES, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by Wood, Gundy & Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
nuary	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.3	76.2	85.5	70.4
bruary ...	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6	74.3
rch	101.3	101.3	95.0	110.6	100.0	90.2	79.5	77.3	78.5
ril	103.3	101.3	95.0	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5	77.9
y	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6	74.5
ne	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3	72.9
ly	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0	-
gust	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2	-
ptember ..	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	88.3	69.9	-
tober	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2	-
vember ...	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	71.8	-
cember ...	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	82.7	69.7	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BONDS, 1937x

Date		Prices	Yields
May	6	113.0	72.4
	13	113.6	71.6
	20	113.8	71.3
	27	114.5	69.9
June	3	114.9	69.4
	10	114.9	69.3
	17	114.8	69.4
	24	115.0	69.1
July	1	115.0	69.1
	8	115.1	69.1
	15	115.0	69.2
	22	115.0	69.0

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, JULY 23-JULY 29.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Common stock averages were maintained at 134.3 for the first three days of he week ended July 29, but displayed irregularity in the closing days. The industrial verage was at practically the same level from which it started. Advances in the two ndustrial mines, textiles and oils outweighed losses in the remaining sub-groups with reatest weakness apparent in machinery and equipment, pulp and paper, milling and foods. tilities moved generally higher while a lower tendency was apparent in the New York ndex from July 27 to 29. Brazilian was again a leader in this group. The Investors' eek ended July 29 and closed at 135.1. Industrials advanced 0.2 to 221.3, utilities .2 to 65.2 and banks 0.3 to 90.2.

MINING STOCK PRICES

The dullness noted in the latter part of last week continued, with the result hat the daily index of twenty-four mining stocks declined from 143.5 on July 22 to 41.7 on the 29th. There was no outstanding feature, and losses in both gold and base etal groups were of a minor nature. Golds were quite steady moving gradually upward om 109.2 on July 23 to 109.6 on the 28th, but weakness in the junior issues brought he index to 108.7 on the final day. Despite London's moderate optimism towards metals d strength in International Nickel, base metals moved irregularly downward from 281.4 278.2 between July 23 and 29. The weekly average for golds declined from 110.2 to 9.3 for the week ending July 29 and base metals from 282.6 to 280.3.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term nd prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 115.0 for the week ending July 22 to 115.1 r the week ending July 29. Turnover continued light and prices moved narrowly. Among e Provincials, Manitoba and British Columbia issues eased slightly, while those of skatchewan advanced to show gains ranging up to 5 points. A recent offering by Nova otia proved attractive and was quickly oversubscribed. Nothing worthy of special nment was reported from London or New York and price changes there were of a minor ture also. The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 69.0 r the week ending July 22 to 68.8 for the week ending July 29. The average yield of e issues used in this index was 3.29 as compared with 3.30 for the preceding week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

The decline in the French franc was checked on the 24th when rates at New York osed slightly higher. The rise was sustained and discounts on futures dropped 8¼ ints during the period following intimations that the power of the French Stabilization nd had been extended to include control of forward as well as spot francs. Gold at ndon at around $34.80 per ounce was considered too high to permit of profitable ship- nts to the United States. Towards the close of the week, however, arrangements were corded for forwardings to New York at a small premium arising from a reduction on the al interest charged for gold while in transit. Oriental currencies weakened on orts of unsettled conditions in the East. The French franc at Montreal moved down m 3.74¢ on the 23rd to 3.73¢ on the following day, then strengthened to close at 5¢. Premiums on the United States dollar declined from 0.06 of 1 p.c. on the 24 th. 0.03 of 1 p.c. on the 29th. Sterling ranged between $4.97 and $4.98 throughout the k.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	JULY 23	24	26	27	28	29	Weekly Average July 23-29	Preceding Weekly Average July 16-22	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	134.3	134.3	134.3	135.1	134.8	135.1	134.7	133.7	127.7	115.6
68 INDUSTRIALS	220.6	220.6	220.3	221.6	220.9	221.3	220.9	219.7	207.1	192.3
Machinery and Equipment (8)	148.3	148.9	147.9	147.4	146.7	146.1	147.1	149.0	143.4	101.7
Pulp and Paper (6)	40.1	40.4	38.5	39.3	38.2	37.7	39.0	40.7	35.9	18.7
Milling (4)	100.2	101.5	100.2	99.3	98.5	98.6	99.8	101.1	102.5	89.5
Oils (4)	223.7	224.0	223.4	224.9	223.3	224.2	223.8	223.4	216.6	226.8
Textiles and Clothing (10)	80.8	81.6	81.3	82.3	81.8	82.1	81.6	79.9	77.3	70.1
Food and Allied Products (13)	184.3	183.9	183.8	184.3	183.7	182.2	183.9	182.4	176.4	155.0
Beverages (7)	137.8	137.5	138.6	138.0	137.5	137.2	137.8	137.4	128.3	129.4
Building Materials (14)	189.0	188.7	188.6	188.2	189.4	188.7	188.8	188.3	179.3	139.2
Industrial Mines (2)	559.2	557.9	558.7	563.0	563.0	564.5	562.2	555.7	507.4	433.0
19 UTILITIES	64.1	64.0	64.3	65.0	65.1	65.2	64.8	63.7	62.5	53.5
Transportation (2)	28.8	29.0	29.0	29.5	29.0	29.5	29.2	28.8	31.2	31.8
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	128.3	128.3	128.5	129.1	128.9	128.2	128.5	128.2	128.5	112.1
Power and Traction (15)	89.0	88.7	89.3	90.3	90.8	90.8	90.1	88.3	83.4	66.6
9 BANKS	90.2	90.3	90.3	90.1	90.1	90.2	90.0	89.9	90.9	74.5
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	142.7	142.8	142.9	142.6	142.8	141.7	142.5	143.6	134.0	161.0
Gold Stocks (21)	109.2	109.4	109.5	109.5	109.6	108.7	109.3	110.2	105.4	136.0
Base Metals (3)	281.4	281.4	281.2	279.9	280.7	278.2	280.3	282.6	252.5	265.2
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.0	115.0	118.4
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	68.9	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8	69.0	69.1	64.4
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9784	4.9700	4.9784	4.9790	4.9749	4.9787	4.9766	4.9848	4.9439	5.0181
U.S. dollars	1.0006	1.0000	1.0000	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0017	1.0019	1.0000
French franc	.0374	.0373	.0374	.0374	.0374	.0375	.0374	.0378	.0438	.0661
Belgian belga	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1685	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1686	.1690	.1687
Netherlands florin	.5526	.5513	.5522	.5523	.5509	.5514	.5518	.5526	.5506	.6796
Japanese yen	.2897	.2895	.2896	.2896	.2894	.2896	.2896	.2898	.2874	.2929
Australian pound	3.9828	3.9760	3.9827	3.9831	3.9798	3.9829	3.9812	3.9879	3.9551	4.0145
Argentine peso - free rate	.3012	-	.3010	.3011	.3011	.3011	.3011	.3019	.3028	.2743

x Bank of Canada.

(1926 =100)

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES					
Number of Securities 1937	Total 68	Machinery and Equipment 8	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 4	Oils 4	Textiles and Clothing 10	Food and Allied Products 13	Beverages 7	Building Materials 14	Industrial Mines 2	Total 19	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 15	Banks 9	Grand Total 96
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	432.5	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	281.1	591.3	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	131.7	198.3
Low	199.3	184.7	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	179.1	256.2	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	116.7	134.6
x 1933 - High	129.2	99.8	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	84.9	190.0	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	81.1	82.5
Low	56.0	39.2	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	44.3	74.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	63.1	43.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	126.5	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	104.1	242.2	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	75.2	83.1
Low	111.8	78.2	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	79.5	187.0	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	64.4	69.5
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.7	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	118.0	377.9	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	79.8	98.8
Low	123.7	109.1	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	102.6	193.3	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	75.3	75.7
x 1936 - High	226.1	142.3	31.9	115.4	254.5	76.5	182.9	152.6	192.0	553.9	64.7	37.6	121.7	84.5	84.5	122.6
Low	180.2	102.0	16.5	79.5	216.5	65.6	145.2	122.8	123.6	371.2	50.6	28.1	108.8	63.2	76.6	98.6
1936																
January	187.7	118.2	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	127.3	387.2	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	78.6	112.9
February	200.0	125.0	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	135.4	418.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	82.6	120.7
March	194.8	122.2	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	131.7	416.3	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	79.6	117.4
April	194.2	114.3	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	134.1	401.8	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	77.5	115.9
May	187.9	108.0	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	128.6	394.8	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	77.7	112.8
June	189.3	106.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	77.8	113.8
July	190.1	102.4	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	425.5	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	77.2	114.3
August	191.4	103.0	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	79.0	114.7
1937																
January	222.0	156.3	37.2	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	94.4	137.4
February	228.8	163.4	36.7	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	96.7	142.4
March	241.7	168.3	40.2	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	95.9	147.2
April	224.1	157.5	47.1	117.4	230.4	79.9	182.4	133.4	204.8	538.9	64.1	35.0	122.0	85.1	94.0	136.2
May	216.4	151.3	38.5	109.4	229.6	77.5	178.5	128.4	188.4	525.8	63.0	32.8	124.7	84.0	92.7	132.2
June	210.1	148.1	38.2	103.7	220.2	77.7	177.7	131.0	179.6	510.8	63.2	32.3	127.3	84.1	92.3	129.4
Weekly Index Numbers																
July 30, 1936	192.3	101.7	18.7	89.5	226.8	70.1	155.0	129.4	139.2	433.0	53.5	31.8	112.1	66.6	74.5	115.6
1937																
July 8	214.8	148.0	41.3	104.5	221.2	78.3	179.8	132.6	188.1	531.3	63.3	30.9	127.8	85.6	90.6	131.4
July 15	216.1	148.4	40.4	103.4	221.6	79.6	181.9	135.9	190.1	539.0	63.1	29.8	127.6	86.3	90.6	131.9
July 22	219.7	149.0	40.7	101.1	223.4	79.9	182.4	137.4	188.3	555.7	63.7	28.8	128.2	88.3	89.9	133.7
July 29	220.9	147.1	39.0	99.8	223.8	81.6	183.9	137.8	188.8	562.2	64.8	29.2	128.5	90.1	90.0	134.7

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, JULY 30-AUGUST 5
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INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

During the week ended August 5, industrial and utility common stock averages were htly higher continuing the irregularly upward trend which began in the latter part une. The index fluctuated narrowly between 127.3 and 13[illegible].0 in the period mentioned e. Machinery and equipment issues led the advance among industrials and the two strial mines and oils also showed strength. Declines were recorded for the remain- sub-groups headed by foods and milling. Firmness was displayed by utilities for third successive week although a slight reaction set in on the closing day (August 5) Brazilian and C.P.R. were fractionally lower after showing consistent advances. the week. The Investors' general price index for industrial, utility and bank stocks nced 1.0 to 135.7 for the week ending August 5 with industrials up from 220.9 to ',utilities from 64.8 to 66.2, and banks from 30.0 to 30.2.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Base metals showed independent strength and were the chief feature on Canadian g markets for the week ending August 5. Increasing copper prices, a reported ity in zinc and higher quotations for lead at New York, together with firmness on ondon base metals market, were some of the principal factors influencing the advance. were mainly steady, the index [illegible] ing narrowly [illegible] 108.9 and 109.2 and ng was without feature worthy of comment. In spite of the improvement shown above eneral average of 142.3 for the week of August 5 was slightly lower than the previous s index of 142.5. The gold section receded 0.3 to 109.0 while base metals moved up 230.5.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

Bids firmed on a little better demand in the high-grade section of the bond t and the index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices advanced from 115.1 he week ending July 29 to 115.2 for the week ending August 5. The volume of ess remained light, however, with holidays at the week-end shortening the trading on some of the Exchanges. Provincials were comparatively quiet also, and price es were small and of a mixed nature. British Consols closed 1/8 higher while the ones average of selected United States high-grade bonds slipped .17 lower. The for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields remained at 68.8 for the same period e average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.29 as compared with 3.02 e corresponding week of last year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Trading in leading exchange markets was reported light with the pound sterling ot francs showing considerable firmness. Discounts on forward francs in the New arket lessened and a drop from 9½ points on the 2nd to 7 3/8 points on the 3rd ed reports of the lowering of the Bank of France discount rate from 5 p.c. to 4 p.c., me level as previous to devaluation. The yen moved upward and a rise of 42 points Hong Kong dollar on the 3rd coincided with intimations of the flight of Chinese l to that centre. The margin between the American and British gold prices was and only small shipments from London to New York were recorded. The French franc treal rested at 3.75¢ throughout the week and the pound sterling remained close 98. New York funds showed a premium of 0.03 of [illegible] p.c. for the first three days en moved down to par, but were quoted at 1.0002 for the next two days.

Dates	JULY 30	31	AUGUST +2	3	4	5	Weekly Average July 30-Aug.5	Preceding Weekly Average July 23-29	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	134.9	135.6	136.0	136.0	136.0	135.9	135.7	134.7	131.4	114.6
68 INDUSTRIALS	220.9	221.9	222.8	222.0	221.7	221.9	221.7	220.9	214.8	189.3
Machinery and Equipment (8)	147.1	148.0	148.1	152.2	151.6	151.3	150.6	147.1	148.0	102.0
Pulp and Paper (6)	37.9	38.4	38.6	39.1	39.0	39.3	38.7	39.0	41.3	18.9
Milling (4)	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.7	99.8	104.5	87.5
Oils (4)	223.8	224.3	226.0	226.1	224.9	225.6	225.0	223.8	221.2	219.3
Textiles and Clothing (10)	81.6	81.6	80.9	80.9	80.5	79.2	80.8	81.6	78.3	68.8
Food and Allied Products (13)	181.8	182.3	182.3	182.0	181.9	182.4	182.0	183.9	179.8	157.0
Beverages (7)	136.3	137.9	137.2	137.5	136.9	136.8	137.1	137.8	132.6	128.9
Building Materials (14)	188.1	188.1	188.7	188.1	188.6	188.6	188.4	188.8	188.1	140.1
Industrial Mines (2)	563.5	566.9	568.9	562.2	564.1	563.3	564.2	562.2	531.3	432.4
19 UTILITIES	65.3	65.8	65.9	66.6	66.8	66.5	66.2	64.8	63.3	53.4
Transportation (2)	29.3	29.8	29.8	31.3	31.5	31.3	30.9	29.2	30.9	30.3
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	128.9	128.5	128.9	129.0	128.7	128.8	128.6	128.5	127.8	113.4
Power and Traction (15)	91.0	91.8	91.9	92.1	92.4	91.9	91.9	90.1	85.6	67.6
9 BANKS	90.1	90.2	90.2	90.2	90.4	90.2	90.2	90.0	90.6	77.9
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	141.6	141.7	-	142.6	142.3	142.9	142.3	142.5	139.3	160.4
Gold Stocks (21)	108.9	108.9	-	109.0	109.0	109.2	109.0	109.3	107.7	135.1
Base Metals (3)	276.7	277.4	-	281.8	280.5	282.6	280.5	280.3	271.9	265.5
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.1	-	-	115.1	115.2	115.3	115.2	115.1	115.1	118.8
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	68.8	-	-	68.8	68.7	68.7	68.8	68.8	69.1	63.7
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9792	4.9797	4.9809	4.9829	4.9813	4.9813	4.9809	4.9766	4.9574	5.0171
U.S. Dollars	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0000	1.0002	1.0002	1.0002	1.0003	1.0015	1.0001
French franc	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0374	.0386	.0659
Belgian belga	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1683	.1683	.1684	.1684	.1687	.1685
Netherlands florin	.5519	.5520	.5511	.5517	.5518	.5516	.5517	.5518	.5506	.6791
Japanese yen	.2896	.2907	.2898	.2898	.2898	.2900	.2900	.2896	.2881	.2934
Australian pound	3.9833	3.9837	3.9846	3.9863	3.9850	3.9850	3.9847	3.9812	3.9659	4.0136
Argentine peso - free rate	.3011	-	.3011	.3020	.3015	.3015	.3014	.3011	.3023	.2764

x Bank of Canada. + Toronto Stock Exchange closed.

Former Gold Parities	New York Funds	London Sterling 4.8666	France Franc .0392 (1)	Belgian Belga .1001	Italy Lira .0526 (2)	Switzerland Franc .1930 (3)	Holland Guilder .4020 (4)	Norway Kroner .2680	Sweden Kroner .2680	Denmark Kroner .2680
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
September	.9997	5,0390	.0647	.1689	.0786	.3174	.6671	.2532	.2598	.2249
October	.9997	4.8972	.0467	.1683	.0545	.2299	.5362	.2460	.2525	.2186
November	.9986	4.8817	.0464	.1688	.0525	.2295	.5392	.2452	.2516	.2179
December	.9993	4.9030	.0466	.1688	.0526	.2297	.5451	.2463	.2528	.2189
1937										
January	1.0003	4,9092	.0467	.1687	.0526	.2294	.5477	.2467	.2531	.2192
February	1.0002	4.8953	.0466	.1687	.0526	.2284	.5470	.2460	.2524	.2185
March	.9995	4.8824	.0460	.1684	.0526	.2278	.5467	.2453	.2517	.2180
April	.9987	4.9095	.0449	.1683	.0525	.2279	.5468	.2467	.2530	.2191
May	.9984	4.9313	.0447	.1684	.0525	.2283	.5484	.2478	.2542	.2201
June	1,0005	4.9380	.0444	.1688	.0526	.2289	.5500	.2481	.2546	.2204
July	1.0013	4.9736	.0381	.1686	.0527	.2295	.5516	.2497	.2564	.2220

Former Gold Parities	Spain Peseta .1930	Czecho-Slovakia Koruna .0296 (5)	Argentine Peso (Paper) .4244 Unofficial	Australia (Pound) 4.8666	Brazil Milreis .1196 Unofficial	Germany Reichs-mark .2382	India Rupee .3650	China (Shanghai) Dollar	Japan Yen .4985	Union of S.Africa (Pound) 4.8666	New Zealand (Pound) 4.8666
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
September	.1365	.0413	.2833	4,0312	.0589	.4010	.3810	.2999	.2946	5,0327	4.0637
October	-	.0365	.2772	3.9178	.0585	.4019	.3698	.2938	.2860	4.8911	3.9488
November	-	.0354	.2765	3.9054	.0585	.4017	.3686	.2949	.2849	4.8760	3.9368
December	-	.0352	.2975	3.8820	.0594	.4019	.3706	.2954	.2849	4.8964	3.9528
1937											
January	-	.0350	.3024	3.9273	.0609	.4024	.3711	.2970	.2855	4.9031	3.9591
February	-	.0349	.3003	3.9162	.0611	.4023	.3699	.2964	.2854	4.8892	3.9485
March	-	.0349	.2998	3.9060	.0610	.4019	.3687	.2967	.2848	4.8763	3.9375
April	-	.0349	.3028	3.9276	.0625	.4015	.3708	.2969	.2860	4.9033	3.9592
May	-	.0348	.3029	3.9451	.0640	.4011	.3722	.2978	.2874	4.9251	3.9768
June	-	.0348	.3049	3.9504	.0656	.4009	.3726	.2969	22877	4.9252	3.9822
July	-	.0349	.3016	3.9789	.0665	.4025	.3755	.2957	.2892	4.9674	4.0108

(1) French franc devalued September 26 - New Gold content established between 43 to 49 milligrammes from Oct. 1, 1936 to June 29, 1937.
(2) Italian lira devalued by 40.93 p.c. October 5. (3) Swiss franc devalued September 26 - No value fixed but held temporarily at a rate within 10 p.c. of its former nominal dollar parity. (4) Holland abandoned gold standard September 26 - No definite stabilization level for the Dutch guilder yet established. (5) Czecho-Slovakian crown devalued October 8 by 13.3 p.c. to 18.7 p.c. over and above the 16 2/3 p.c. devaluation of February, 1934.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, AUGUST 6-AUGUST 12
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Common stock price averages for the week ended August 12 moved within narrow .ts but tended generally upward although slight reactions were noted for a few groups he 10th. Among the industrials, widest gains were registered by the two industrial s despite recessions on Wednesday. Building materials, machinery and equipment, and and paper also recorded appreciable rises on heavy trading. Oils showed the only ounced weakness that was apparent. Utilities were firm in the early part of the but subsequent fractional losses almost wiped out earlier advances. The Investors' y price index number of common stocks rose from 135.9 on August 5 to 136.8 on August . Industrials advanced 2.0 points to 223.9 and utilities 0.1 to 66.6. Banks declined tionally from 90.2 to 90.0.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Accompanied by heavier volume, prices on the mining market recovered all the nd lost since last May. The general index for twenty-four mining stocks was 146.5 the week of August 12 as compared with 142.3 for the week of August 5. The base l stocks continued buoyant with the index for this group climbing to 296.1 for the of August 12. Gold stocks reversed their downward trend, prices registering sub- tial increases during the closing days of the week. The index was up 1.7 points over week at 110.7.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long- bond prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 115.2 for the week ending August 5 to 5 for the week ending August 12. This was the largest advance to be shown in any of past ten weeks and has been attributed to a renewal of institutional buying. Pro- ials were comparatively quiet with no perceptible change occurring in Alberta bonds owing the recent enactment of legislation of a controversial nature. British ls were down 1/4 to 74½, while the Dow-Jones average of 40 high-grade United States s moved fractionally lower. The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields ined from 68.8 for the week ending August 5 to 68.2 for the week ending August 12. average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.26 as compared with 3.29 for week and 2.98 for the corresponding week of 1936.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Leading exchanges fluctuated narrowly on the New York market during the week. drop in London gold price to £139 6½d. on the 6th was accompanied by the resumption old shipments to the United States which increased as gold values declined. Among , shipments from Belgium were regarded as most significant as it was accepted as an ation of continued weakness of the belga. Strength in sterling was attributed ly to heavy Japanese purchases. A rise in the Shanghai dollar concurred with rts of a $100,000,000 Chinese loan at London. At Montreal the United States dollar ned at par throughout the week except on the 11th when it was quoted at a premium .02 of 1 p.c. The French franc rose from 3.75¢ on the 6th to 3.75½¢ on the 7th, then ped back to 3.75¢ on the following day and rested at that level for the remainder e week. The pound sterling ranged between $4.98 and $4.99 throughout the period.

Dates	AUGUST 6	7	9	10	11	12	Weekly Average August 6-12	Preceding Weekly Average July30-Aug.5	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	135.9	136.6	137.1	136.6	136.8	136.8	136.7	135.7	131.9	116.4
68 INDUSTRIALS	222.0	223.2	223.9	223.1	223.7	223.9	223.4	221.7	216.1	193.5
Machinery and Equipment (8)	151.5	151.5	152.1	152.2	153.3	153.7	152.8	150.6	148.4	104.3
Pulp and Paper (6)	39.0	39.5	39.5	40.7	41.4	41.4	40.8	38.7	40.4	18.3
Milling (4)	98.5	98.5	99.5	99.3	99.5	98.7	99.1	98.7	103.4	87.7
Oils (4)	225.0	224.1	224.0	222.8	222.9	222.4	223.3	225.0	221.6	223.9
Textiles and Clothing (10)	78.5	79.1	79.0	79.7	80.4	80.3	79.7	80.8	79.6	68.1
Food and Allied Products (13)	182.1	182.4	182.9	182.6	183.1	182.8	182.8	182.0	181.9	158.4
Beverages (7)	136.0	136.4	137.1	137.2	137.6	138.9	137.5	137.1	135.9	130.7
Building Materials (14)	189.3	188.5	190.3	190.8	193.6	194.8	192.9	188.4	190.1	141.1
Industrial Mines (2)	566.1	575.5	578.7	575.8	577.1	578.8	575.1	564.2	539.0	445.4
19 UTILITIES	66.4	66.8	67.3	67.0	66.7	66.6	66.9	66.2	63.1	53.1
Transportation (2)	31.3	31.6	31.8	31.1	30.5	30.3	31.0	30.9	29.8	30.8
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	128.8	128.7	128.9	128.7	128.7	128.5	128.7	128.6	127.6	112.9
Power and Traction (15)	91.7	92.3	93.1	93.2	93.1	93.0	92.9	91.9	86.3	66.6
9 BANKS	89.8	89.8	90.0	90.0	89.9	90.0	90.0	90.2	90.6	78.5
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	143.8	146.3	146.4	145.6	146.2	148.4	146.5	142.3	142.7	158.5
Gold Stocks (21)	109.1	109.3	109.7	109.2	110.2	113.1	110.7	109.0	110.1	132.9
Base Metals (3)	287.6	299.8	298.8	296.7	295.2	294.7	296.1	280.5	278.7	264.6
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.4	115.4	115.4	115.5	115.5	115.6	115.5	115.2	115.0	119.2
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	68.4	68.4	68.4	68.2	68.2	68.0	68.2	68.8	69.2	63.0
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS x - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9832	4.9906	4.9870	4.9842	4.9839	4.9835	4.9854	4.9809	4.9738	5.0243
U.S. dollars	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0002	1.0000	1.0000	1.0002	1.0019	1.0000
French franc	.0375	.0376	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0389	.0659
Belgian belga	.1683	.1683	.1684	.1663	.1683	.1683	.1680	.1684	.1687	.1685
Netherlands florin	.5515	.5515	.5515	.5513	.5520	.5513	.5515	.5517	.5514	.6790
Japanese yen	.2900	.2907	.2905	.2905	.2903	.2904	.2904	.2900	.2891	.2939
Australian pound	3.9865	3.9925	3.9896	3.9874	3.9871	3.9868	3.9883	3.9847	3.9791	4.0183
Argentine peso - free rate	.3015	—	.3105	.3020	.3020	.3020	.3036	.3014	.3014	.2770

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INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY-FOUR MINING STOCKS
(1926=100)

umber of Stocks 937	Gold 21	Base Metal 3	Total Index 24
28 - High	137.2	322.2	138.6
Low	75.4	105.7	107.3
29 - High	89.7	318.0	127.9
Low	52.7	157.3	72.6
30 - High	66.7	203.1	88.3
Low	53.3	56.4	56.7
31 - High	79.5	108.3	85.4
Low	54.4	49.9	54.8
32 - High	63.1	82.3	64.8
Low	43.5	42.5	46.8
33 - High	111.9	144.1	116.7
Low	64.9	68.2	65.1
34 - High	140.1	167.6	143.3
Low	103.1	125.0	107.3
35 - High	131.2	211.7	136.7
Low	104.7	128.6	114.9
36 - High	136.2	322.1	170.3
Low	118.3	205.5	135.4
5			
uary	124.8	214.8	142.4
uary	130.2	230.4	149.8
h	122.7	232.2	144.2
.1	122.8	241.1	145.8
	128.9	239.2	150.3
	134.4	246.0	156.1
	134.4	254.1	157.6
ust	132.6	264.0	158.1
ember	131.2	267.1	157.6
ber	126.4	289.4	158.2
mber	131.8	312.5	167.0
mber	131.3	317.8	167.7
ary	137.5	329.6	174.6
uary	139.4	344.8	177.2
h	133.0	340.5	172.6
.1	120.0	298.0	154.1
	111.3	269.3	142.1
	105.9	255.0	134.7
	109.2	278.9	141.8
ly Index Numbers			
ending July 8th	107.7	271.9	139.3
" " 15th	110.1	278.7	142.7
" " 22nd	110.2	282.6	143.6
" " 29th	109.3	280.3	142.5
" Aug. 5th	109.0	280.5	142.3
" " 12th	110.7	296.1	146.5

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, AUGUST 13-AUGUST 19.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Price averages for industrial and utility common stocks continued upward on 13 and 14. Markets then reacted and for the remainder of the week ended August 19 declines were common reflecting weakness at New York and the Sino-Japanese situation. ctions of the index with the exception of oils, telephone and telegraph and banks, net losses for the week. Power and traction issues declined generally while the dustrial mines dropped 22.1 points after reaching 584.5 on Saturday. Machinery uipment and building materials also displayed considerable weakness between August 19. The Investors' general price index for industrial, utility and bank common showed a net loss of 2.2 for the week ending August 19, dropping to 134.6. Inals were down 2.9 to 221.0 and utilities were off 2.2 to 64.4 while banks were und at 90.0.

MINING STOCK PRICES

The continued advance in mining stocks in the first part of the week ending 19, was credited mainly to the general activity and increasing prices in the gold . The index moved upward from 113.1 for August 12 to 115.4 for the 16th, but followibougamau's drop and somewhat easier market conditions the gold index was depressed .9 on the final day. This index still registered a net gain of 0.8 points over the able day of the preceding week. Pronounced unsettlement in base metals was red in the index, which receded from 294.7 for August 12 to 282.1 for August 19. The 's weekly average for twenty-four mines advanced from 146.5 to 148.4 between the ended August 12 and 19 with golds mounting from 110.7 to 114.6 while base metals ed from 296.1 to 287.7.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 115.5 for the week ending August 12 to for the week ending August 19. In the opening days, the market was buoyant on te demand but interest then lagged and quotations moved slightly lower. Sinose developments in the far East were credited with causing a slight uneasiness on ndon market, and indirectly at Montreal, on Tuesday but price movements on domestic s were narrow and a tendency to firm was apparent at the end of the week. British s and the Dow-Jones average of high-grade United States bonds were both fractionally . The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 68.2 for the ending August 12 to 67.7 for the week ending August 19. The average yield of the s used in this index was 3.24 as compared with 3.26 for the previous week. Prals lacked feature.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Movements in leading foreign currencies at New York were irregularly narrow g the week ended August 19. The British pound after declining generally during the three days strengthened on the 18th, the rise being credited to reports of conable transfers of European balances to sterling. Gold continued to move from London e United States but only in small volume, with London values continuing slightly the New York shipping parity throughout the period. Spot francs were firm but nts on ninety rates widened from 8¾ points on the 13th to 11-7/8 on the 18th. The n franc at Montreal was quoted at 3.75¢. Premiums on the United States dollar del from 0.03 of 1 p.c. in the opening days to 0.02 of 1 p.c. at the close. The pound ing fell from $4.987 on the 13th to $4.983 on the 16th, but had risen again to .by the 19th.

Dates	AUGUST 13	14	16	17	18	19	Weekly Average Aug. 13-19	Preceding Weekly Average Aug. 6-12	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	137.4	137.6	136.6	135.6	136.0	134.6	136.2	136.7	133.7	116.1
68 INDUSTRIALS	225.5	226.0	223.9	222.4	223.4	221.0	223.8	223.4	219.7	193.0
Machinery and Equipment (8)	153.4	154.4	154.0	153.0	153.4	151.7	153.1	152.8	149.0	102.9
Pulp and Paper (6)	41.9	42.0	41.5	41.3	41.4	40.8	41.7	40.8	40.7	18.3
Milling (4)	99.3	99.6	99.6	99.0	98.4	98.4	99.1	99.1	101.1	88.9
Oils (4)	224.0	224.3	223.7	223.1	223.9	222.6	223.6	223.3	223.4	222.4
Textiles and Clothing (10)	79.6	79.8	79.9	79.5	79.8	79.0	79.3	79.7	79.9	68.5
Food and Allied Products (13)	181.9	182.2	183.6	182.8	182.8	182.5	182.6	182.8	182.4	157.4
Beverages (7)	139.5	139.9	139.5	139.8	140.4	138.8	139.7	137.5	137.4	133.2
Building Materials (14)	196.1	199.1	196.8	193.5	194.8	193.2	195.8	192.9	188.3	141.8
Industrial Mines (2)	584.0	584.5	574.4	568.2	571.4	562.4	575.1	575.1	555.7	444.9
19 UTILITIES	66.3	66.3	66.0	65.3	65.2	64.4	65.3	66.9	63.7	52.7
Transportation (2)	30.0	30.0	29.8	29.6	29.6	29.3	29.6	31.0	28.8	29.8
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	128.8	128.7	129.1	129.3	129.1	129.1	129.0	128.7	128.2	113.3
Power and Traction (15)	92.6	92.6	92.1	90.8	90.7	89.1	90.8	92.9	88.3	66.5
9 BANKS	90.1	90.1	90.2	90.1	90.3	90.0	90.0	90.0	89.9	79.5
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	149.1	148.9	149.0	147.3	147.6	146.7	148.4	146.5	143.6	158.1
Gold Stocks (21)	114.2	114.7	115.4	114.0	114.2	113.9	114.6	110.7	110.2	132.0
Base Metals (3)	293.5	290.6	288.3	285.4	285.9	282.1	287.7	296.1	282.6	266.4
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.7	115.7	115.8	115.5	115.0	119.2
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	67.6	67.6	67.7	67.7	68.0	67.9	67.7	68.2	69.0	63.1
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9870	4.9861	4.9831	4.9854	4.9927	4.9914	4.9876	4.9854	4.9848	5.0285
U. S. dollars	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003	1.0002	1.0002	1.0003	1.0000	1.0017	1.0000
French franc	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0378	.0659
Belgian belga	.1684	.1683	.1684	.1685	.1685	.1685	.1684	.1680	.1686	.1686
Netherlands florin	.5515	.5514	.5515	.5516	.5517	.5519	.5516	.5515	.5526	.6792
Japanese yen	.2906	.2906	.2903	.2903	.2907	.2909	.2906	.2904	.2898	.2943
Australian pound	3.9896	3.9888	3.9865	3.9882	3.9941	3.9931	3.9901	3.9883	3.9879	4.0230
Argentine peso - free rate	.3021	-	.3016	.3011	.3010	.3010	.3014	.3036	.3019	.2770

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MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1929 - 1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co., Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6	117.7
February	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0	115.3
March	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5	112.9
April	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7	112.7
May	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9	113.8
June	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0	114.9
July	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0	115.1
August	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1	-
September ...	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1	-
October	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1	-
November	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6	-
December	99.4	103.7	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co., Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4	64.6
February	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8	68.4
March	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9	72.7
April	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5	73.2
May	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8	71.0
June	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9	69.3
July	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1	69.0
August	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2	-
September ...	102.8	95.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1	-
October	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2	-
November	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1	-
December	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO POPULAR BOND ISSUES, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by Wood, Gundy & Co., Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.3	76.2	85.5	70.4
February	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6	74.3
March	101.3	101.3	95.0	110.6	100.0	90.2	79.5	77.3	78.5
April	103.3	101.3	95.0	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5	77.9
May	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6	74.5
June	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3	72.9
July	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0	73.1
August	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2	-
September ...	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	88.3	69.9	-
October	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2	-
November	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	71.8	-
December	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	82.7	69.7	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BONDS, 1937x

Date		Prices	Yields
June	3	114.9	69.4
	10	114.9	69.3
	17	114.8	69.4
	24	115.0	69.1
July	1	115.0	69.1
	8	115.1	69.1
	15	115.0	69.2
	22	115.0	69.0
	29	115.1	68.8
August	5	115.2	68.8
	12	115.5	68.2
	19	115.8	67.7

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, AUGUST 20-AUGUST 26
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Common stock prices continued to decline during the week ended August 26 with e exception of slight rallies on August 21 and 24. Gradual advances of the past six eks were erased when all sections of the index, oils and milling excepted, showed reces-ons. Greatest losses occurred on the final day of trading reflecting weakness at New rk and London where markets were reacting to developments in the Far East. The two lustrial mines led the downward movement followed by machinery and equipment, beverages, ilding materials and pulp and paper. Oils moved narrowly higher while milling issues re mainly steady. The Investors' daily price index number of common stocks dropped om 134.6 on August 19 to 132.3 on August 26. Industrials declined 3.7 points to 217.3, ilities 1.2 to 63.2 and banks 0.5 to 89.5.

MINING STOCK PRICES

After an unsteady opening, prices on Canadian mining markets moved irregularly ward till the final day of the week, when developments in the Orient were associated with e sharp set-back experienced on August 26. Trading volume was light. Golds were quite eady and action was mostly in the junior issues. In the decline Dome was the weakest the senior golds. Base metals were unsettled by sharp losses in London metal prices d the daily index for this group receded to levels of early July. The general index of enty-four mining stocks moved lower from 148.4 to 144.2 between the weeks of August 19 d 26 with the golds losing 1.9 to 112.7 and the base metals 13.0 to 274.7.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

A reaction in Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices occurred in the week ding August 26, wiping out the gains of the previous week and lowering the weekly index om 115.8 to 115.5. Dullness claimed the market in the earlier days but a little better mand developed latterly and final quotations were about on a par with those at the ose of business on the 19th. British Consols became slightly stronger during the week, sing from 74¼ to 74-7/16, while the Dow-Jones average of high-grade United States bonds clined from 100.66 to 100.19. The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields se from 67.7 for the week ending August 19 to 68.2 for the week ending August 26. The erage yield of the issues used in this index was 3.26 as compared with 3.24 for the eceding week and 2.99 for the corresponding week of last year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Apart from a gradual decline of approximately one cent in sterling, Montreal change rates varied only by small fractional amounts during the week ended August 26. e United States dollar returned to par again on the 20th and has subsequently remained that level. Chinese currencies were firm, while the Japanese yen registered small sses in the last two days of the week. The Belgian belga which was under pressure during e first half of August, held steadily around 16.84 cents and the French franc continued ose to 3.75 cents. The decline in sterling noted above was accompanied by gold shipments om London; sterling at Montreal was quoted at $4.9796 on August 26 as compared with .9914 on the 19th.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	August 20	21	23	24	25	26	Weekly Average Aug.20-26	Preceding Weekly Average Aug.13-19	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	133.4	133.9	133.6	134.0	133.8	132.3	133.3	136.2	134.7	115.6
68 INDUSTRIALS	219.0	220.0	219.2	220.3	220.0	217.3	219.0	223.8	220.9	192.3
Machinery and Equipment (8)	150.6	150.0	150.6	150.4	150.2	146.7	149.7	153.1	147.1	102.4
Pulp and Paper (6)	39.9	39.6	39.5	39.2	39.7	38.5	39.2	41.7	39.0	18.1
Milling (4)	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	99.0	98.9	99.1	99.8	89.2
Oils (4)	220.9	221.7	221.2	222.3	222.5	222.9	221.9	223.6	223.8	221.5
Textiles and Clothing (10)	79.1	79.0	78.9	78.7	79.6	78.1	78.9	79.3	81.6	68.1
Food and Allied Products (13)	182.0	182.1	181.9	182.0	180.9	180.5	181.5	182.6	183.9	158.0
Beverages (7)	136.2	136.1	135.7	136.4	136.7	134.0	135.6	139.7	137.8	151.4
Building Materials (14)	191.6	191.6	191.6	192.2	192.3	190.3	191.4	195.8	188.8	142.7
Industrial Mines (2)	556.6	561.1	557.5	561.6	558.4	545.0	552.7	575.1	562.2	443.6
19 UTILITIES	63.8	63.8	64.0	63.8	63.8	63.2	63.7	65.3	64.8	52.3
Transportation (2)	29.3	28.8	29.3	28.8	28.6	28.4	28.8	29.6	29.2	28.8
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	129.3	128.9	128.7	129.3	129.3	128.7	128.8	129.0	128.5	114.1
Power and Traction (15)	87.8	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.4	87.4	87.9	90.8	90.1	66.4
9 BANKS	90.0	90.1	90.1	89.8	89.8	89.5	89.7	90.0	90.0	79.5
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	144.4	144.9	144.9	145.2	146.3	142.0	144.2	148.4	142.5	156.7
Gold Stocks (21)	112.6	112.4	113.1	112.9	113.6	112.2	112.7	114.6	109.3	131.2
Base Metals (3)	276.0	279.4	276.3	278.7	281.5	265.4	274.7	287.7	280.3	262.5
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.6	115.5	115.3	115.3	115.5	115.7	115.5	115.8	115.1	119.1
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	68.1	68.4	68.5	68.5	68.2	67.7	68.2	67.7	68.8	63.2
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9879	4.9888	4.9876	4.9859	4.9819	4.9796	4.9853	4.9876	4.9766	5.0328
U.S. dollars	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0003	1.0003	1.0003
French franc	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0375	.0374	.0659
Belgian belga	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1683	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1689
Netherlands florin	.5517	.5518	.5518	.5518	.5517	.5517	.5518	.5516	.5518	.6792
Japanese yen	.2907	.2907	.2907	.2908	.2906	.2904	.2907	.2906	.2896	.2946
Australian pound	3.9903	3.9910	3.9900	3.9900	3.9850	3.9840	3.9884	3.9901	3.9812	4.0264
Argentine peso - free rate	.3010	-	.3010	.3005	.3000	.2995	.3004	.3014	.3011	.2786

x Bank of Canada.

(1926=100)

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES					
Number of Securities 1937	Total 68	Machinery and Equipment 8	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 4	Oils 4	Textiles and Clothing 10	Food and Allied Products 13	Beverages 7	Building Materials 14	Industrial Mines 2	Total 19	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 15	Banks 9	Grand Total 96
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	432.5	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	281.1	591.3	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	131.7	198.3
Low	199.3	184.7	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	179.1	256.2	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	116.7	134.6
x 1933 - High	129.2	99.8	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	84.9	190.0	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	81.1	82.5
Low	56.0	39.2	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	44.3	74.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	63.1	43.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	126.5	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	104.1	242.2	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	75.2	83.1
Low	111.8	78.2	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	79.5	187.0	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	64.4	69.5
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.7	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	118.0	377.9	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	79.8	98.8
Low	123.7	109.1	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	102.6	193.3	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	75.3	75.7
x 1936 - High	226.1	142.3	31.9	115.4	254.5	76.5	182.9	152.6	192.0	553.9	64.7	37.6	121.7	84.5	84.5	122.6
Low	180.2	102.0	16.5	79.5	216.5	65.6	145.2	122.8	123.6	371.2	50.6	28.1	108.8	63.2	76.6	98.6
1936																
January	187.7	118.2	18.6	80.0	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	127.3	387.2	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	78.6	112.9
February	200.0	125.0	20.2	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	135.4	418.2	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	82.6	120.7
March	194.8	122.2	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	131.7	416.3	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	79.6	117.4
April	194.2	114.3	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	134.1	401.8	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	77.5	115.9
May	187.9	108.0	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	128.6	394.8	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	77.7	112.8
June	189.3	106.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	77.8	113.8
July	190.1	102.4	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	425.5	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	77.2	114.3
August	191.4	103.0	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	79.0	114.7
1937																
January	222.0	156.3	37.2	119.6	229.3	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	94.4	137.4
February	228.8	163.4	36.7	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	96.7	142.4
March	241.7	168.3	40.2	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	95.9	147.2
April	224.1	157.5	47.1	117.4	230.4	79.9	182.4	133.4	204.8	538.9	64.1	35.0	122.0	85.1	94.0	136.2
May	216.4	151.3	38.5	109.4	229.6	77.5	178.5	128.4	188.4	525.8	63.0	32.8	124.7	84.0	92.7	132.2
June	210.1	148.1	38.2	103.7	220.2	77.7	177.7	131.0	179.6	510.8	63.2	32.3	127.3	84.1	92.3	129.4
July	217.8	148.0	40.5	102.0	222.6	79.7	182.1	136.1	188.7	547.4	63.9	29.7	128.0	88.0	90.2	133.0
Weekly Index Numbers																
August 27, 1936	192.3	102.4	18.1	89.2	221.5	68.1	158.0	131.4	142.7	443.6	52.3	28.8	114.1	66.4	79.5	115.6
1937																
August 5	221.7	150.6	38.7	98.7	225.0	80.8	182.0	137.1	188.4	564.2	66.2	30.9	128.6	91.9	90.2	135.7
August 12	223.4	152.8	40.8	99.1	223.3	79.7	182.8	137.5	192.9	575.1	66.9	31.0	128.7	92.9	90.0	136.7
August 19	223.8	153.1	41.7	99.1	223.6	79.3	182.6	139.7	195.8	575.1	65.3	29.6	129.0	90.8	90.0	136.2
August 26	219.0	149.7	39.2	98.9	221.9	78.9	181.5	135.6	191.4	552.7	63.7	28.8	128.8	87.9	89.7	133.3

x Weekly figures.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, AUGUST 27-SEPTEMBER 2
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INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Industrial and utility common stock averages continued downward during the eek ended September 2, when declines also predominated at New York. Although common tock prices moved generally higher from August 27 to 31, subsequent losses more than ancelled these advances and the Investors' daily index of Canadian common stocks losed at 129.2 on September 2 as compared with 132.3 on August 26. All sections of he index with the exception of textiles and telephone and telegraph showed recessions nd greatest weakness was apparent for industrial mines, building materials, milling nd machinery and equipment. The industrial index recorded a net loss of 5.2 points or the week ended September 2, declining to 212.1. Utilities fell 1.8 to 61.4 and anks 0.2 to 89.3

MINING STOCK PRICES

Moving in line with Industrials, the mining market showed price recessions nd increased liquidation in the latter part of the week, following two days of modest ains on August 28 and 30. In consequence the index of twenty-four mining stocks eclined from 144.2 forthe week ending August 26 to 141.1 for the week of September 2. utside factors related to the international situation still appeared to overshadow he market in general. Movements in the gold group were fractional and action remained n the junior issues. Base metals moved up from 264.3 on August 27 to 273.1 on the st, on comparatively light trading but closed the week down at 259.0. The monthly eneral index of mining stocks rose from 141.8 in July to 146.2 in August. The weekly ndex for golds receded 1.8 to110.9 and the base metals 8.4 to 266.3.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-rm bond prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 115.5 for the week ending August 26 115.7 for the week ending September 2. Trading was decidedly light as the week pened and price movements were narrow, but a more pronounced demand developed later d quotations moved slightly beyond the previous week's close. British Consols con-nued to decline, moving from 74 7/16 to 73 5/8, and the Dow-Jones average of high-ade United States bonds dropped from 100.19 to 99.79. Both were considerably lower an at the first of the year when Consols were quoted at 84 11/16 and the Dow-Jones erage stood at 105.50. The Dominion Prices index was then at 118.5. Provincials re quiet with Manitoba and British Columbia issues moving slightly higher, while berta's lost the gains of the previous week. The index for Dominion of Canada long-rm bond yields fell from 68.2 for the week ending August 26 to 67.7 for the week ding September 2. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.25 as mpared with 3.26 for the preceding week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Further moderate declines in sterling were the only feature of narrow exchange rkets during the week. The Montreal rate for sterling on September 2 was 4.9616, wn nearly two cents for the week and more than three cents since the latest peak of 9927 reached on August 18. New York funds remained at par in Montreal as gold con-nued to flow from Canada to the United States. The Japanese yen registered small actional net losses; it was stated that gold shipments from Japan since March have gregated $153,000,000. The Belgian belga was firm again, while spot rates for French ancs eased fractionally. Forward 90-day discounts on the franc, however, were duced slightly.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	AUGUST 27	AUGUST 28	AUGUST 30	AUGUST 31	SEPTEMBER 1	SEPTEMBER 2	Weekly Average Aug.27-Sept.2	Preceding Weekly Average Aug.20-26	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	131.2	131.6	132.8	132.8	130.3	129.2	130.9	133.3	135.7	117.0
68 INDUSTRIALS	215.1	216.3	217.8	217.8	213.5	212.1	214.9	219.0	221.7	194.6
Machinery and Equipment (8)	145.0	143.5	145.2	146.1	143.1	142.4	144.0	149.7	150.6	109.5
Pulp and Paper (6)	38.1	37.8	38.1	38.3	37.3	36.3	37.3	39.2	38.7	18.1
Milling (4)	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.7	96.8	93.9	95.6	98.9	98.7	90.7
Oils (4)	221.9	222.6	225.4	225.7	223.1	221.6	223.4	221.9	225.0	220.4
Textiles and Clothing (10)	78.8	78.5	78.5	78.7	78.9	78.6	78.6	78.9	80.8	69.0
Food and Allied Products (13)	179.6	179.7	179.7	179.2	179.1	177.8	179.0	181.5	182.0	159.6
Beverages (7)	133.2	133.3	134.1	134.3	133.2	131.5	133.4	135.6	137.1	136.9
Building Materials (14)	188.3	187.6	187.0	187.7	185.5	182.7	185.1	191.4	188.4	144.1
Industrial Mines (2)	536.3	542.3	544.3	542.9	524.5	523.1	532.3	552.7	564.2	454.4
19 UTILITIES	62.7	62.4	63.6	63.5	62.4	61.4	62.4	63.7	66.2	53.1
Transportation (2)	28.6	28.2	28.4	28.4	27.9	27.7	28.1	28.8	30.9	29.8
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	128.5	128.5	128.5	128.5	128.7	128.7	128.5	128.8	128.6	114.1
Power and Traction (15)	86.1	86.0	88.3	88.1	86.1	84.3	85.8	87.9	91.9	67.1
9 BANKS	89.4	89.5	89.4	89.7	89.3	89.3	89.6	89.7	90.2	79.8
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	141.1	142.3	142.8	142.6	140.5	138.9	141.1	144.2	142.3	157.0
Gold Stocks (21)	111.4	111.7	111.9	111.1	110.6	109.9	110.9	112.7	109.0	132.0
Base Metals (3)	264.3	269.1	270.4	273.1	264.0	259.0	266.3	274.7	280.5	260.9
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.5	115.6	115.6	115.6	115.7	115.9	115.7	115.5	115.2	119.3
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BONC YIELD INDEX	67.3	68.0	68.0	67.9	67.7	67.5	67.7	68.2	68.8	62.8
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9730	4.9669	4.9674	4.9653	4.9645	4.9616	4.9665	4.9853	4.9809	5.0323
U.S. dollars	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0002	1.0000
French franc	.0374	.0375	.0374	.0374	.0374	.0373	.0374	.0375	.0375	.0658
Belgian belga	.1684	.1684	.1686	.1685	.1684	.1684	.1685	.1684	.1684	.1688
Netherlands florin	.5514	.5513	.5513	.5514	.5514	.5517	.5514	.5518	.5517	.6791
Japanese yen	.2900	.2907	.2896	.2896	.2896	.2893	.2898	.2907	.2900	.2944
Australian pound	3.9780	3.9740	3.9740	3.9720	3.9712	3.9700	3.9732	3.9884	3.9847	4.0258
Argentine peso - free rate	.2995	-	.3015	.3015	.3005	.3005	.3007	.3004	.3014	.2813

x Bank of Canada.

EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1936-1937

NOTE: The noon rates in Canadian Funds upon which these averages are based have been supplied by the Bank of Canada.

Former Gold Parities	New York Funds	London Sterling 4.8666	France Franc .0392 (1)	Belgian Belga .1001	Italy Lira .0526 (2)	Switzerland Franc .1930 (3)	Holland Guilder .4020 (4)	Norway Kroner .2680	Sweden Kroner .2680	Denmark Kroner .2680
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
October	.9997	4.8972	.0467	.1683	.0545	.2299	.5362	.2460	.2525	.2186
November	.9986	4.8817	.0464	.1688	.0525	.2295	.5392	.2452	.2516	.2179
December	.9993	4.9030	.0466	.1688	.0526	.2297	.5451	.2463	.2528	.2189
1937										
January	1.0003	4.9092	.0467	.1687	.0526	.2294	.5477	.2467	.2531	.2192
February	1.0002	4.8953	.0466	.1687	.0526	.2284	.5470	.2460	.2524	.2185
March	.9995	4.8824	.0460	.1684	.0526	.2278	.5467	.2453	.2517	.2180
April	.9987	4.9095	.0449	.1683	.0525	.2279	.5468	.2467	.2530	.2191
May	.9984	4.9313	.0447	.1684	.0525	.2283	.5484	.2478	.2542	.2201
June	1.0005	4.9380	.0444	.1688	.0526	.2289	.5500	.2481	.2546	.2204
July	1.0013	4.9736	.0381	.1686	.0527	.2295	.5516	.2497	.2564	.2220
August	1.0001	4.9826	.0375	.1683	.0526	.2297	.5516	.2503	.2569	.2224

Former Gold Parities	Spain Peseta .1930	Czecho-Slovakia Koruna .0296 (5)	Argentine Peso (Paper) .4244 Unofficial	Australia (Pound) 4.8666	Brazil Milreis .1196 Unofficial	Germany Reichs-mark .2382	India Rupee .3650	China (Shanghai) Dollar	Japan Yen .4985	Union of S. Africa (Pound) 4.8666	New Zealand (Pound) 4.8666
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
October	-	.0365	.2772	3.9178	.0585	.4019	.3699	.2938	.2860	4.8911	3.9488
November	-	.0354	.2765	3.9054	.0585	.4017	.3686	.2949	.2849	4.8760	3.9368
December	-	.0352	.2975	3.8820	.0594	.4019	.3706	.2954	.2849	4.8964	3.9528
1937											
January	-	.0350	.3024	3.9278	.0609	.4024	.3711	.2970	.2855	4.9031	3.9591
February	-	.0349	.3003	3.9162	.0611	.4023	.3699	.2964	.2854	4.8892	3.9485
March	-	.0349	.2998	3.9060	.0610	.4019	.3687	.2967	.2848	4.8763	3.9375
April	-	.0349	.3028	3.9276	.0625	.4015	.3708	.2969	.2860	4.9033	3.9592
May	-	.0348	.3029	3.9451	.0640	.4011	.3722	.2978	.2874	4.9251	3.9768
June	-	.0348	.3019	3.9504	.0656	.4009	.3726	.2969	.2877	4.9252	3.9822
July	-	.0349	.3016	3.9789	.0665	.4025	.3755	.2957	.2892	4.9674	4.0108
August	.0637	.0349	.3016	3.9861	.0655	.4022	.3761	.2967	.2903	4.9771	4.0183

(1) French franc devalued September 26 - New Gold content established between 43 to 49 milligrammes from Oct. 1, 1936, to June 29, 1937.
(2) Italian lira devalued by 40.93 p.c. October 5. (3) Swiss franc devalued September 26 - No value fixed but held temporarily at a rate within 10 p.c. of its former nominal dollar parity. (4) Holland abandoned gold standard September 26 - No definite stabilization level for the Dutch guilder yet established. (5) Czecho-Slovakian crown devalued October 8 by 13.3 p.c. to 18.7 p.c. over and above the 16 2/3 p.c. devaluation of February, 1934.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, SEPTEMBER 3-SEPTEMBER 9
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Swept by the broad wave of liquidation which struck world markets during the st week, when extreme tension developed in Continental Europe, Canadian Stock markets ffered a sharp break, the most serious since last April. Drastic declines accompanied heavy selling occurred on September 7 and 8, continuing the downward trend started August 16. However, stocks were generally improved on the closing day. Recessions re extended to all sub-groups included in the Investors' series, which all but Textiles d Clothing and Telephone and Telegraph, attained their lowest daily levels for the rrent year. Net losses in the Industrial section ranged between 1.3 to 13.5 points, e more pronounced being for Industrial Mines, Building Materials, Oils, Machinery and uipment and Food and Allied Products. A price index for 96 common stocks dropped om 130.9 to 122.7 between the weeks ending September 2 and 9. The industrials de-ined 14.1 points to 200.8, the utilities 4.3 to 58.1 and banks 1.4 to 88.2.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Influenced mainly by the increased European tension,prices on the mining rket slumped precipitously during the week under review. The general index for twenty-ur mining issues fell to its lowest level since last June,averaging 131.5 for the week September 9 as compared with 141.1 for the week preceding. In the gold section sses were predominant throughout the list with the junior issues declining heavily. opping 5.4 points, the index closed at 104.5. Despite firmer base metal commodity ices, shares in this section were subjected to a severe barrage of selling. The dex slipped from 266.3 for last week to 243.4 for the week ended September 9.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-m bond prices, on the base 1926=100, remained at 115.7 for the week ending September Holidays reduced the period of trading and turnover was light, although demand owed some improvement as the week progressed. Outside markets, particularly stock kets, became unsettled when war fearsagain rose and nervousness in London and New k was reflected to some degree in domestic markets. British Consols eased 1/8 to , while the Dow-Jones average of high-grade United States bonds fell from 99.79 to .95. This compared with 74 5/8 and 101.26 for a month earlier. Provincials were hout feature. The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields were unchanged 67.7 for the week ending September 9, while the average yield of the issues used in s index was 3.24.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Official support was withdrawn from the French franc on September 9, and it pped quickly from 3.73 cents to 3.66 cents. Accumulating pressure of seasonal mitments and dwindling tourist requirements of francs were the principal causes cited this latest decline. Prior to the 9th, the franc was maintained at approximately 5 cents from mid-July, when it had been steady for a short time around 3.88 cents. rling continued gradually downward, closing the week at$4.9468 for a loss of 1.2 ts. The Netherlands florin also registered moderate declines. The Japanese paralleled sterling, holding at its recent level of 1s.2d. per yen. New York ds at Montreal moved again to a small fractional premium after being quoted at par m August 20 to September 4.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	SEPTEMBER 3	4	+6	7	8	9	Weekly Average Sept.3-9	Preceding Weekly Average Aug.27-Sept.2	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	129.6	129.5	-	121.8	121.6	123.9	122.7	130.9	136.7	118.4
68 INDUSTRIALS	212.8	212.6	-	199.4	198.9	202.6	200.8	214.9	223.4	196.9
Machinery and Equipment (8)	142.9	144.7	-	135.9	132.3	132.5	134.3	144.0	152.8	111.9
Pulp and Paper (6)	36.9	36.8	-	32.5	31.9	32.4	32.4	37.3	40.8	18.8
Milling (4)	93.9	93.9	-	93.5	90.9	92.6	92.7	95.6	99.1	91.1
Oils (4)	221.0	220.9	-	211.7	207.0	209.1	210.7	223.4	223.3	219.7
Textiles and Clothing (10)	78.5	78.6	-	75.8	75.3	75.8	76.0	78.6	79.7	70.0
Food and Allied Products (13)	178.2	178.4	-	173.9	170.6	169.9	172.4	179.0	182.8	161.6
Beverages (7)	138.0	132.6	-	122.9	121.5	124.6	123.9	133.4	137.5	136.8
Building Materials (14)	181.1	181.7	-	172.6	165.4	169.5	168.3	185.1	192.9	146.6
Industrial Mines (2)	528.9	526.4	-	481.9	494.7	509.6	493.6	532.3	575.1	467.9
19 UTILITIES	61.6	61.6	-	57.3	57.6	59.1	58.1	62.4	66.9	53.9
Transportation (2)	27.2	26.9	-	25.4	24.8	26.1	25.5	28.1	31.0	30.6
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	128.5	128.5	-	127.4	126.8	127.2	127.2	128.5	128.7	114.3
Power and Traction (15)	85.1	85.4	-	77.8	79.1	81.0	79.4	85.8	92.9	68.2
9 BANKS	88.9	88.9	-	88.2	88.1	87.9	88.2	89.6	90.0	79.9
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	140.0	140.5	-	129.6	130.6	131.8	131.5	141.1	146.5	157.0
Gold Stocks (21)	110.1	110.8	-	103.9	103.3	104.5	104.4	110.9	110.7	132.1
Base Metals (3)	263.9	263.5	-	235.8	243.3	244.5	243.4	266.3	296.1	260.5
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.8	-	-	115.8	115.7	115.6	115.7	115.7	115.5	119.4
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	67.5	-	-	67.5	67.8	67.9	67.7	67.7	68.2	62.6
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9585	4.9600	-	4.9551	4.9506	4.9477	4.9544	4.9665	4.9854	5.0481
U.S. dollars	1.0000	1.0000	-	1.0002	1.0002	1.0002	1.0001	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
French franc	.0373	.0373	-	.0373	.0373	.0366	.0372	.0374	.0375	.0658
Belgian belga	.1685	.1685	-	.1686	.1687	.1686	.1686	.1685	.1680	.1690
Netherlands florin	.5518	.5518	-	.5514	.5511	.5507	.5514	.5514	.5515	.6781
Japanese yen	.2891	.2893	-	.2889	.2885	.2884	.2888	.2898	.2904	.2952
Australian pound	3.9750	3.9680	-	3.9641	3.9606	3.9581	3.9652	3.9732	3.9883	4.0385
Argentine peso - free rate	.3000	-	-	.3000	.2985	.2985	.2993	.3007	.3036	.2827

x Bank of Canada.

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INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY-FOUR MINING STOCKS

(1926 = 100)

ber of cks 7	Gold 21	Base Metal 3	Total Index 24
28 - High	137.2	322.2	138.6
Low	75.4	105.7	107.3
29 - High	89.7	318.0	127.9
Low	52.7	157.3	72.6
30 - High	66.7	203.1	88.3
Low	53.3	56.4	56.7
31 - High	79.5	108.3	85.4
Low	54.4	49.9	54.8
32 - High	63.1	82.3	64.8
Low	48.5	42.5	46.8
33 - High	111.9	144.1	116.7
Low	64.9	68.2	65.1
34 - High	140.1	167.6	143.3
Low	103.1	125.0	107.3
35 - High	131.2	211.7	136.7
Low	104.7	128.6	114.9
36 - High	136.2	322.1	170.3
Low	118.3	205.5	135.4
6			
ch	122.7	232.2	144.2
il	122.8	241.1	145.8
	128.9	239.2	150.3
e	134.4	246.0	156.1
y	134.4	254.1	157.6
ust	132.6	264.0	158.1
tember	131.2	267.1	157.6
ober	126.4	289.4	158.2
ember	131.8	312.5	167.0
ember	131.3	317.8	167.7
7			
uary	137.5	329.6	174.6
ruary	139.4	344.8	177.2
ch	133.0	340.5	172.6
il	120.0	288.0	154.1
	111.3	269.3	142.1
e	105.9	255.0	134.7
y	109.2	278.9	141.8
ust	112.5	287.4	146.2
kly Index Numbers			
k ending Aug. 5th	109.0	280.5	142.3
" " 12th	110.7	296.1	146.5
" " 19th	114.6	287.7	148.4
" " 26th	112.7	274.7	144.2
" Sept. 2nd	110.9	266.3	141.1
" " 9th	104.4	243.4	131.5

Weekly figures.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, SEPTEMBER 10-SEPTEMBER 16
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

The Canadian stock markets experienced its second recent severe break on September 10, which was followed by another on the 13th, but of a lesser extent. Both were accompanied by heavy liquidation. These reactions precipitated all indexes of the common stock series downward, the majority reaching new low levels for the present year. Stocks rebounded with vigor on September 14, and continued to improve generally for the remainder of the week. As a result preceding declines were partly recovered and net losses for most of the sub-groups were small if compared with those of the week ending September 9. The two industrials mines headed the list of declines and weakness was also apparent in building materials, machinery and equipment and beverages. Brazilian was the main feature in the utility section. The investors' daily price index number of common issues fell from 123.9 on September 9 to 122.3 on September 16. Industrials declined 2.3 points to 200.3, utilities 1.0 to 58.1 and banks 1.8 to 86.1.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Mines were also affected by the reactionary movement suffered by the industrial and utility groups and the general index of twenty-four mining issues declined for the fourth successive week, the index falling from 131.5 for the week ending September 9 to 126.3 for the week of September 16. The set-back was pronounced and reflected a prevailing feeling of uncertainty. The trend was reversed on September 14, and base metals showed the widest gains, but later as sharp declines in London markets occurred the advance was reduced. On the closing day (Thursday the 16th) interest was centered upon the secondary gold issues and a marked gain was registered, as indicated by the daily index which ended the week 1.9 points above the corresponding figure of the preceding week. The weekly index of golds receded 3.3 to 101.1 and base metals 13.8 to 129.6.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, fell from 115.7 for the week ending September 9 to 115.5 for the week ending September 16. Both offerings and demand have been light of late and a feeling of uncertainty, related to increased tension in the Mediterranean and unsettlement in New York markets, has discouraged recent activity in the less speculative bonds. Bids were slightly firmer as the week closed. British Consols moved 5/16 higher but the Dow-Jones average of 40 high-grade United States bonds dropped from last week's close of 98.95 to 98.16 on the 13th and then rose to 98.66 to show a loss of .29 for the week. Provincials were generally unchanged with the exception of Saskatchewan issues which were moderately lower. The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 67.7 for the week ending September 9 to 68.1 for the week ending September 16. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.26 as compared with 3.24 for last week and 2.98 for a year ago.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

The French franc suffered a further sharp break on September 15, its third in less than thres months. This latest drop brought Montreal rates down from 3.57 cents to 3.38 cents, nearly half a cent below levels at the beginning of July. Surface repercussions upon other currencies were comparatively slight. Sterling weakened temporarily and then made its steepest gain in several months, mounting from $4.9469 on the 15th to $4.9623 on the 17th. The florin and the belga showed practically no change. Montreal rates on New York funds returned to par again on September 13 and have subsequently remained at that level. The Japanese yen made fractional advances during the week to close at 28.86 cents.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	SEPTEMBER 10	11	13	14	15	16	Weekly Average Sept.10-16	Preceding Weekly Average Sept.3 - 9	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	119.5	120.1	117.9	121.3	121.2	122.3	119.8	122.7	136.2	119.7
68 INDUSTRIALS	194.8	196.0	191.4	198.1	198.1	200.3	195.4	200.8	223.8	199.6
Machinery and Equipment (8)	122.2	123.0	121.2	123.9	127.3	126.6	125.3	134.3	153.1	112.7
Pulp and Paper (6)	29.3	29.7	29.3	30.5	31.6	31.3	29.9	32.4	41.7	18.8
Milling (4)	90.1	90.7	88.7	88.7	90.0	91.0	89.3	92.7	99.1	91.0
Oils (4)	206.8	204.5	195.0	206.2	208.1	211.8	203.8	210.7	223.6	222.2
Textiles and Clothing (10)	75.6	75.2	75.1	74.7	74.3	74.2	74.8	76.0	79.3	70.8
Food and Allied Products (13)	166.8	164.4	164.8	165.9	168.1	167.5	166.2	172.4	182.6	162.9
Beverages (7)	120.3	118.9	116.8	120.2	121.5	121.3	118.9	123.9	139.7	135.9
Building Materials (14)	161.4	156.3	156.9	157.9	159.6	160.9	158.8	168.3	195.8	147.2
Industrial Mines (2)	477.1	492.0	488.6	499.3	491.8	496.1	489.3	493.6	575.1	478.7
19 UTILITIES	57.0	57.1	56.7	57.8	57.5	58.1	57.2	58.1	65.3	54.0
Transportation (2)	25.1	25.3	24.1	25.1	25.1	25.3	24.8	25.5	29.6	30.6
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	126.8	127.1	126.3	126.1	128.0	127.1	126.8	127.2	129.0	114.6
Power and Traction (15)	77.5	77.4	77.9	79.3	78.4	79.7	78.1	79.4	90.8	68.5
9 BANKS	87.7	87.4	87.5	87.1	86.8	86.1	86.7	88.2	90.0	80.0
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	123.9	124.9	123.1	128.6	130.3	132.1	126.3	131.5	148.4	156.6
Gold Stocks (21)	98.7	99.8	99.0	102.3	104.3	106.4	101.1	104.4	114.6	131.7
Base Metals (3)	227.6	228.6	222.5	237.2	237.5	238.3	229.6	243.4	287.7	259.9
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.6	115.5	115.5	115.5	115.5	115.5	115.5	115.7	115.8	119.3
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	67.9	68.1	68.1	68.1	68.1	68.1	68.1	67.7	67.7	62.8
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9468	4.9470	4.9510	4.9520	4.9469	4.9523	4.9493	4.9544	4.9876	5.0611
U.S. dollars	1.0002	1.0002	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0007	1.0001	1.0003	.9998
French franc	.0356	.0357	.0357	.0357	.0338	.0337	.0350	.0372	.0375	.0658
Belgian belga	.1683	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1683	.1683	.1684	.1686	.1684	.1689
Netherlands florin	.5501	.5501	.5503	.5504	.5500	.5502	.5502	.5514	.5516	.6785
Japanese yen	.2881	.2882	.2885	.2887	.2884	.2886	.2884	.2888	.2906	.2959
Australian pound	3.9574	3.9576	3.9600	3.9620	3.9575	3.9620	3.9594	3.9652	3.9901	4.0489
Argentine peso - free rate	.2980	-	.2995	.2990	.2990	.2997	.2990	.2993	.3014	.2842

x Bank of Canada.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co., Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6	117.7
February	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0	115.3
March	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5	112.9
April	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7	112.7
May	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9	113.8
June	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0	114.9
July	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0	115.1
August	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1	115.5
September	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1	-
October	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1	-
November	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6	-
December	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG TERM BOND YIELDS, 1929-1937
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co.,Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4	64.6
February	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8	68.4
March	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9	72.7
April	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5	73.2
May	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8	71.0
June	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9	69.3
July	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1	69.0
August	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2	68.1
September	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1	-
October	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2	-
November	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1	-
December	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO POPULAR BOND ISSUES, 1929-1937
(From data issued by Wood, Gundy & Co., Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.3	76.2	85.5	70.4
February	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6	74.3
March	101.3	101.3	95.0	110.6	100.0	90.2	79.5	77.3	78.5
April	103.3	101.3	95.0	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5	77.9
May	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6	74.5
June	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3	72.9
July	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0	73.1
August	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2	72.2
September	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	88.3	69.9	-
October	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2	-
November	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	71.8	-
December	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	82.7	69.7	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BONDS, 1937x

Date		Prices	Yields
August	5	115.2	68.8
	12	115.5	68.2
	19	115.8	67.7
	26	115.5	68.2
September	2	115.7	67.7
	9	115.7	67.7
	16	115.5	68.1

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, SEPTEMBER 17-SEPTEMBER 23.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Industrial and utility common stock averages moved downward in the early rt of the week ending September 23. A rally in industrial mines and a few other oups occurred on September 21 and 22, but those gains were mostly erased by a renewed cline on the final day of trading. This was the sixth consecutive weekly decline gistered by common stocks and the Investors' index is now back to levels of over a ar ago. Reflecting pronounced recessions in metals on the London market, the two dustrial mines recorded one of the most severe declines in the current year, showing net loss of 36.9 points. Weakness was also displayed by nearly all sub-groups, with preciable declines occurring for oils, building materials, machinery and equipment and verages. Utilities showed more resistance to the downward trend than industrials d movements were narrow. The Investors' daily price index of common stocks receded om 122.3 on September 16 to 116.5 on September 23. Industrials declined 12 points 188.3, utilities 0.6 to 57.5 and banks 2.4 to 83.7.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Prices of mining issues drifted lower in the first part of the week ended ptember 23, although movements on Canadian markets were relatively narrow. Three 's of recessions were followed by a rally on September 21 and 22 but on the last day trading these modest gains were completely wiped out for the gold stocks, although vances in the base metals were partly retained. Volume of sales showed a pronounced duction. Despite a net loss of 6.2 points for daily indexes the general weekly erage of twenty-four mining issues mounted from 126.3 to 127.9 between the weeks of ptember 16 and 23 with the golds rising 3.1 to 104.2 and the base metals losing 5.3 224.3.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-m bond prices, on the base 1926=100, declined from 115.5 forthe week ending September to 115.4 for the week ending September 23. Volume was on the light side but prices e well maintained until the 21st when a break occurred, coinciding with weakness in cks. Recessions seldom exceeded ½ point, however, and bids were firm for the bal-e of the week. British Consols were steady, but the Dow-Jones average of 40 high-de United States bonds fell from 98.66 to 98.06. Provincials were quiet with ertas exhibiting a slightly stronger tone. The Dominion of Canada index of long-term d yields advanced from 68.1 for the week ending September 16 to 68.4 for the week ing September 23. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.28 as pared with 3.26 for last week and 2.99 for a year ago.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Sterling rates turned downward again in the week under review, losing gains over one cent made in the preceding week to close at $4.9493. The French franc lied under the stimulus of a resumption of official support which was believed to e been followed by considerable short covering. Montreal franc rates advanced from 7 cents to 3.42 cents. The Netherlands florin was also stronger, but belgas dropped ow levels favourable to gold export, and remained there. A considerable gold move-t from Belgium resulted without any subsequent rise in belga rates. The Japanese recorded appreciable losses during the past few days, while New York funds at treal continued to be quoted at par.

Dates	SEPTEMBER 17	18	20	21	22	23	Weekly Average Sept.17-23	Preceding Weekly Average Sept.10-16	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	120.4	118.7	116.4	117.5	118.2	116.5	117.6	119.8	133.3	122.1
68 INDUSTRIALS	196.6	193.4	188.9	190.8	191.4	188.3	190.9	195.4	219.0	204.9
Machinery and Equipment (8)	125.3	123.4	119.5	118.7	119.1	117.8	120.2	125.3	149.7	114.6
Pulp and Paper (6)	30.7	29.5	27.7	28.2	28.3	27.9	28.3	29.9	39.2	20.1
Milling (4)	90.4	90.1	89.5	89.5	89.2	88.4	89.2	89.3	98.9	96.1
Oils (4)	207.9	205.4	202.2	204.6	203.6	201.1	203.8	203.8	221.9	223.4
Textiles and Clothing (10)	74.0	74.0	74.0	71.9	72.3	71.6	73.0	74.8	78.9	71.2
Food and Allied Products (13)	167.9	167.4	165.6	164.5	164.8	164.8	165.6	166.2	181.5	165.2
Beverages (7)	119.3	118.5	117.6	117.1	118.5	117.0	117.8	118.9	135.6	136.5
Building Materials (14)	161.8	160.4	156.3	155.1	153.8	151.4	156.3	158.8	191.4	150.2
Industrial Mines (2)	484.3	472.6	456.9	464.3	469.6	459.2	465.3	489.3	552.7	506.1
19 UTILITIES	57.6	57.1	56.3	56.9	58.0	57.5	57.2	57.2	63.7	54.3
Transportation (2)	24.6	24.6	23.6	24.1	25.1	24.9	24.6	24.8	28.8	30.8
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	127.1	125.6	126.3	126.1	127.4	127.4	126.4	126.8	128.8	114.3
Power and Traction (15)	79.2	78.2	77.4	78.2	79.6	78.7	78.5	78.1	87.9	68.9
9 BANKS	86.1	86.0	85.9	85.2	84.7	83.7	85.1	86.7	89.7	79.6
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	130.9	128.6	126.1	127.2	127.9	125.9	127.9	126.3	144.2	159.0
Gold Stocks (21)	106.6	104.7	103.3	104.0	103.7	102.0	104.2	101.1	112.7	131.6
Base Metals (3)	231.3	227.2	220.1	222.8	227.4	224.3	224.3	229.6	274.7	272.6
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.5	115.5	115.5	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.4	115.5	115.5	119.2
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	68.1	68.1	68.1	68.7	68.7	68.7	68.4	68.1	68.2	63.1
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9623	4.9625	4.9575	4.9559	4.9538	4.9494	4.9569	4.9493	4.9853	5.0601
U.S. dollars	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0007	1.0000	.9991
French franc	.0338	.0339	.0338	.0340	.0342	.0342	.0340	.0350	.0375	.0658
Belgian belga	.1683	.1683	.1683	.1683	.1683	.1683	.1683	.1684	.1684	.1688
Netherlands florin	.5511	.5516	.5520	.5521	.5522	.5522	.5519	.5502	.5518	.6771
Japanese yen	.2890	.2893	.2890	.2889	.2890	.2885	.2890	.2884	.2907	.2957
Australian pound	3.9700	-	3.9660	3.9650	3.9630	3.9600	3.9648	3.9594	3.9884	4.0481
Argentine peso - free rate	.3000	-	.3000	.3000	.2990	.2970	.2992	.2990	.3004	.2842

x Bank of Canada.

(1926=100)

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

Number of Securities 1937	INDUSTRIALS Total 68	Machinery and Equipment 8	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 4	Oils 4	Textiles and Clothing 10	Food and Allied Products 13	Beverages 7	Building Materials 14	Industrial Mines 2	UTILITIES Total 19	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 15	Banks 9	Grand Total 96
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	432.5	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	281.1	591.3	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	131.7	190.3
Low	199.3	184.7	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	179.1	256.2	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	116.7	134.6
x 1933 - High	129.2	99.8	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	84.9	190.0	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	81.1	82.5
Low	56.0	39.2	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	44.3	74.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	63.1	43.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	126.5	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	104.1	242.2	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	75.2	83.1
Low	111.8	78.2	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	79.5	187.0	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	64.4	69.5
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.7	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	118.0	377.9	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	79.8	98.8
Low	123.7	109.1	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	102.6	193.3	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	75.3	75.7
x 1936 - High	226.1	142.3	31.9	115.4	254.5	76.5	182.9	152.6	192.0	553.9	64.7	37.6	121.7	84.5	84.5	122.6
Low	180.2	102.0	16.5	79.5	216.5	65.6	145.2	122.8	123.6	371.2	50.6	28.1	108.8	63.2	76.6	98.6
1936																
March	194.8	122.2	18.5	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	131.7	416.3	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	79.6	117.4
April	194.2	114.3	17.5	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	134.1	401.8	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	77.5	115.9
May	187.9	108.0	16.7	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	128.6	394.8	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	77.7	112.8
June	189.3	106.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	77.8	113.8
July	190.1	102.4	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	425.5	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	77.2	114.3
August	191.4	103.0	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	79.0	114.7
1937																
January	222.0	156.3	37.2	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	94.4	137.4
February	228.8	163.4	36.7	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	96.7	142.4
March	241.7	168.3	40.2	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	95.9	147.2
April	224.1	157.5	47.1	117.4	230.4	79.9	182.4	133.4	204.8	538.9	64.1	35.0	122.0	85.1	94.0	136.2
May	216.4	151.3	38.5	109.4	229.6	77.5	178.5	128.4	188.4	525.8	63.0	32.8	124.7	84.0	92.7	132.2
June	210.1	148.1	38.2	103.7	220.2	77.7	177.7	131.0	179.6	510.8	63.2	32.3	127.3	84.1	92.3	129.4
July	217.8	148.0	40.5	102.0	222.6	79.7	182.1	136.1	188.7	547.4	63.9	29.7	128.0	88.0	90.2	133.0
August	221.6	151.2	40.4	95.2	223.6	79.5	182.0	136.9	192.7	564.2	65.2	29.9	128.7	90.4	89.9	135.2
Weekly Index Numbers																
September 24, 1936	204.9	114.6	20.1	96.1	223.4	71.2	165.2	136.5	150.2	506.1	54.3	30.8	114.3	68.9	79.6	122.1
1937																
September 2	214.9	144.0	37.3	95.6	223.4	78.6	179.0	133.4	185.1	532.3	62.4	28.1	128.5	85.8	89.6	130.9
September 9	200.8	134.3	32.4	92.7	210.7	76.0	172.4	123.9	168.3	493.6	58.1	25.5	127.2	79.4	88.2	122.7
September 16	195.4	123.3	29.9	89.3	203.8	74.8	166.2	118.9	158.8	489.3	57.2	24.8	126.8	78.1	86.7	119.8
September 23	190.9	120.2	28.3	89.2	203.8	73.0	165.6	117.8	156.3	465.3	57.2	24.6	126.4	78.5	85.1	117.6

x Weekly figures.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, SEPTEMBER 24-SEPTEMBER 30
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INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Prices on Canadian stock markets suffered drastic declines on heavy trading on September 24. After consolidating positions during the following day a brisk advance occurred on Monday (September 27). Subsequent fluctuations were uncertain and changed market positions by relatively small amounts. A minor secondary reaction took place on September 29, but the closing day of the week showed slight improvement in nearly all sections of the list. In the industrial group net losses were much less than for the previous week, and were headed by industrial mines, milling and foods. Four sub-groups advanced with oils showing consistent gains each day with the exception of Friday. The Investors' price index for common stocks declined from 117.6 for the week ended September 23 to 113.7 for the week ended September 30. Industrials dropped 7.2 points to 183.7, utilities 1.2 to 56.0 and banks 2.6 to 82.5.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Extending the decline of the preceding day, Canadian mining issues showed decided losses at the opening of the week ended September 30. Base metal stocks suffered exceptionally sharp reductions. A brisk reaction on September 27 brought considerable improvement and prices moved upward in an impressive manner. Senior golds supported by Dome played a leading part in the substantial advance, with the gold index mounting gradually from 99.3 on September 24 to 109.6 on the 30th. On that day when gold issues were a feature of the New York market, Canadian gold stocks displayed strength and the index recorded a gain of three full points on sharp volume expansion. Base metals shared in the first stages of recovery but the announcement from London of a reduction in the price of copper provided a depressing influence, and the index for this group fell from 219.9 on September 28 to 213.1 on the 29, although it rose again to 215.8 on the following day. The daily index for twenty-four mines moved up from 125.9 to 130.4 between September 23 and 30, with the gold section rising 7.6 to 109.6 while base metals showed an erratic recession of 8.5 to 215.8.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, declined from 115.4 forthe week ending September 23 to 114.7 for the week ending September 30. Prices dropped fractionally at the outset, reflecting unsettlement in stock markets but soon stabilized and continued steady for the balance of the week. In the closing days, a fair demand for selected issues was apparent, but turnover remained light. Provincials were featureless. British Consols advanced 1/8 to 73 7/8, while the Dow-Jones average of high-grade United States bonds finished the week at 97.62 for a loss of 0.44. The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields rose from 68.4 for the week ending September 23 to 69.2 forthe week ending September 30. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.31 as compared with 3.28 for last week and 3.04 for a year ago.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

The final week of September witnessed the greatest degree of surface stability in spot exchange rates for several months. Forward positions of the French franc, however, deteriorated further discounts on 90-day rates widening from 15 to 22 points, the lowest level touched since the major decline in francs last June. Spot rates on francs at Montreal have remained at 3.42 and 3.43 cents since September 20. The seasonal recession in sterling has halted at least temporarily around $4.95 which has been an equilibrium point since the second week of the month. Renewed purchases of silver in the London market by United States authorities were mentioned as a factor contributing to this development. Belgas strengthened slightly during the week and New York funds at Montreal continued at par. This position has been maintained since September 11.

Dates	SEPTEMBER 24	25	27	28	29	30	Weekly Average Sept.24-30	Preceding Weekly Average Sept.17-23	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	111.2	111.4	115.5	116.1	115.0	115.8	113.7	117.6	130.9	122.6
68 INDUSTRIALS	179.1	179.7	187.0	187.9	185.7	188.1	183.7	190.9	214.9	205.2
Machinery and Equipment (8)	113.8	112.2	112.2	115.3	115.9	117.9	113.9	120.2	144.0	116.3
Pulp and Paper (6)	24.0	25.3	26.8	28.1	28.2	28.1	26.1	28.3	37.3	21.7
Milling (4)	87.8	87.8	87.8	87.9	80.1	81.9	86.6	89.2	95.6	99.0
Oils (4)	196.3	196.5	201.6	202.8	203.5	206.2	199.8	203.8	223.4	225.7
Textiles and Clothing (10)	69.8	69.9	70.4	72.1	71.2	71.3	70.4	73.0	78.6	71.2
Food and Allied Products (13)	159.9	161.1	161.3	163.4	163.6	163.6	161.9	165.6	179.0	166.5
Beverages (7)	112.5	109.8	113.9	116.8	117.1	117.8	114.2	117.8	133.4	132.1
Building Materials (14)	142.4	141.9	143.6	149.9	148.4	151.4	144.5	156.3	185.1	148.9
Industrial Mines (2)	423.6	427.7	456.7	454.0	439.9	446.2	438.3	465.3	532.3	503.0
19 UTILITIES	54.9	54.8	56.9	57.3	57.0	56.5	56.0	57.2	62.4	55.2
Transportation (2)	23.1	22.8	24.4	23.6	24.1	23.9	23.5	24.6	28.1	30.3
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	125.2	124.4	124.4	125.2	125.0	125.1	124.6	126.4	128.5	114.3
Power and Traction (15)	75.1	75.2	78.4	79.7	78.8	77.8	77.1	78.5	85.8	71.2
9 BANKS	82.9	82.3	82.2	82.5	82.4	82.4	82.5	85.1	89.6	79.3
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	119.3	121.0	124.9	128.2	127.4	130.4	125.1	127.9	141.1	157.7
Gold Stocks (21)	99.3	100.4	103.0	105.9	106.6	109.6	104.2	104.2	110.9	129.3
Base Metals (3)	201.5	205.6	215.3	219.9	213.1	215.8	209.9	224.3	266.3	275.4
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.2	114.6	114.6	114.6	114.6	114.7	114.7	115.4	115.7	118.2
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	68.7	69.3	69.3	69.3	69.3	69.2	69.2	68.4	67.7	64.3
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9466	4.9525	4.9519	4.9463	4.9463	4.9503	4.9490	4.9569	4.9665	4.9598
U.S. dollars	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
French franc	.0342	.0343	.0343	.0342	.0342	.0342	.0342	.0340	.0374	.0554
Belgian belga	.1683	.1683	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1683	.1685	.1689
Netherlands florin	.5528	.5530	.5528	.5522	.5524	.5528	.5527	.5519	.5514	.5811
Japanese yen	.2882	.2890	.2884	.2881	.2883	.2882	.2884	.2890	.2898	.2896
Australian pound	3.9570	3.9620	3.9615	3.9570	3.9570	3.9602	3.9591	3.9648	3.9732	3.9679
Argentine peso - free rate	.2975	-	.2975	.2975	.2975	.2975	.2975	.2992	.3007	.2790

x Bank of Canada.

EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1936-1937

NOTE: The noon rates in Canadian Funds upon which these averages are based have been supplied by the Bank of Canada.

Former Gold Parities	New York Funds	London Sterling 4.8666	France Franc .0392 (1)	Belgian Belga .1001	Italy Lira .0526 (2)	Switzerland Franc .1930 (3)	Holland Guilder .4020 (4)	Norway Kroner .2680	Sweden Kroner .2680	Denmark Kroner .2680
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
November	.9986	4.8817	.0464	.1688	.0525	.2295	.5392	.2452	.2516	.2179
December	.9993	4.9030	.0466	.1688	.0526	.2297	.5451	.2463	.2528	.2189
1937										
January	1.0003	4.9092	.0467	.1687	.0526	.2294	.5477	.2467	.2531	.2192
February	1.0002	4.8953	.0466	.1687	.0526	.2284	.5470	.2460	.2524	.2185
March	.9995	4.8824	.0460	.1684	.0526	.2278	.5467	.2453	.2517	.2180
April	.9987	4.9095	.0449	.1683	.0525	.2279	.5468	.2467	.2530	.2191
May	.9984	4.9313	.0447	.1684	.0525	.2283	.5484	.2478	.2542	.2201
June	1.0005	4.9380	.0444	.1688	.0526	.2289	.5500	.2481	.2546	.2204
July	1.0013	4.9736	.0381	.1686	.0527	.2295	.5516	.2497	.2564	.2220
August	1.0001	4.9826	.0375	.1683	.0526	.2297	.5516	.2503	.2569	.2224
September	1.0000	4.9532	.0352	.1684	.0526	.2297	.5515	.2489	.2553	.2211

Former Gold Parities	Spain Peseta .1930	Czecho-Slovakia Koruna .0296 (5)	Argentine Peso (Paper) .4244 Unofficial	Australia (Pound) 4.8666	Brazil Milreis .1196 Unofficial	Germany Reichs-mark .2382	India Rupee .3650	China (Shanghai) Dollar	Japan Yen .4985	Union of S.Africa (Pound) 4.8666	New Zealand (Pound) 4.8666
1936	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
November	-	.0354	.2765	3.9054	.0585	.4017	.3686	.2949	.2849	4.8760	3.9368
December	-	.0352	.2975	3.8820	.0594	.4019	.3706	.2954	.2849	4.8964	3.9528
1937											
January	-	.0350	.3024	3.9273	.0609	.4024	.3711	.2970	.2855	4.9031	3.9591
February	-	.0349	.3003	3.9162	.0611	.4023	.3699	.2964	.2854	4.8892	3.9485
March	-	.0349	.2998	3.9060	.0610	.4019	.3687	.2967	.2848	4.8763	3.9375
April	-	.0349	.3028	3.9276	.0625	.4015	.3708	.2969	.2860	4.9033	3.9592
May	-	.0348	.3029	3.9451	.0640	.4011	.3722	.2978	.2874	4.9251	3.9768
June	-	.0348	.3049	3.9504	.0656	.4009	.3726	.2969	.2877	4.9252	3.9822
July	-	.0349	.3016	3.9789	.0665	.4025	.3755	.2957	.2892	4.9674	4.0108
August	.0637	.0349	.3016	3.9861	.0655	.4022	.3761	.2967	.2903	4.9771	4.0183
September	.0647	.0349	.2989	3.9629	.0639	.4013	.3739	.2969	.2887	4.9470	3.9950

(1) French franc devalued September 26 - New Gold content established between 43 to 49 milligrammes from Oct. 1, 1936, to June 29, 1937.
(2) Italian lira devalued by 40.93 p.c. October 5. (3) Swiss franc devalued September 26 - No value fixed but held temporarily at a rate within 10 p.c. of its former nominal dollar parity. (4) Holland abandoned gold standard September 26 - No definite stabilization level for the Dutch guilder yet established. (5) Czecho-Slovakian crown devalued October 8 by 13.3 p.c. to 18.7 p.c. over and above the 16 2/3 p.c. devaluation of February, 1934.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, OCTOBER 1-OCTOBER 7.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Industrial and utility common stock price movements were listless and irregular in the early part of the week ended October 7. On Tuesday, the 5th, prices received a sharp set-back when marked recessions in outside markets were also apparent, but on the closing day of the week Canadian stocks moved independently higher. The volume of sales increased considerably in the last three days of trading. In the industrial section the weekly average was practically maintained although all sub-groups, with the exception of foods and textiles, moved lower. Net losses indicated by daily indexes ranged from 17.5 points for industrial mines to 0.8 for oils. In the utility group, telephone and telegraph influenced chiefly by Bell Telephone showed a net gain for this period. The Investors' daily price index declined from 115.8 for September 30 to 113.6 for October 7. Industrials dropped 4 points to 184.1, utilities 1.0 to 55.5 while banks rose 0.1 to 82.5.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Canadian mining issues led by golds continued upward on October 1 to the crest of an advance beginning September 25. A reaction then set in and losses increased daily till October 5. Subsequently both gold and base metal issues rallied and closed the week above Monday's levels. The volume of trading contracted sharply from the preceding week. Base metals moved against the upward trend on October 1, but gained 2 points on the following day when golds were lower. The base metal index showed a net loss of 1.7 for the week, closing at 214.1. The daily price index for twenty-four mines advanced fractionally from 130.4 on September 30 to 130.9 on October 7, while golds moved up from 109.6 to 110.7.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, mounted from 114.7 for the week ending September 30 to 114.8 for the week of October 7. After remaining steady for the first three days, bids rose slightly, but another sharp break in stocks apparently influenced bond prices which reacted to finish approximately at opening levels. British Consols were firmer, moving from 73 7/8 to 75 1/16 while the Dow-Jones average of United States high-grade bonds declined from 97.62 to 97.33. The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 69.2 for the week of September 30 to 69.4 for the week of October 7. The average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.32 as compared with 3.31 for the preceding week and 3.09 for a year ago.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Marked increases in discounts on forward French francs were followed by another break in spot rates on October 2, the third in less than a month. The latest decline which brought Montreal rates down 0.13 cents to 3.29 cents was somewhat less than either of those in September. The franc was quoted at 4.46 cents prior to the June financial crisis. Immediately subsequent to devaluations in October 1936 the franc had been stabilized for a time at between 4.70 cents and 4.65 cents. The latest indications of pressure upon the franc were accompanied by the re-appearance of gold hoarding and a marked increase in London bullion prices which brought them a few cents above parity with the United States price of $35.00 per ounce. Sterling remained firm during the first week of October, with Montreal rates holding between $4.95 and $4.96. New York funds dropped to a small fractional discount.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	October 1	2	4	5	6	7	Weekly Average Oct.1-7	Preceding Weekly Average Sept.24-30	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	115.3	115.7	115.9	112.3	112.3	113.6	113.6	113.7	122.7	126.6
68 INDUSTRIALS	187.2	188.0	187.8	181.2	180.9	184.1	183.6	183.7	200.8	210.3
Machinery and Equipment (8)	116.6	119.7	118.0	115.1	114.5	116.8	116.2	113.9	134.3	124.4
Pulp and Paper (6)	27.5	27.7	27.8	26.2	26.0	26.3	26.5	26.1	32.4	24.8
Milling (4)	80.6	80.6	80.5	77.8	76.2	77.6	78.4	86.6	92.7	100.3
Oils (4)	206.5	207.0	207.8	202.9	202.0	205.4	204.8	199.8	210.7	230.0
Textiles and Clothing (10)	71.9	71.9	72.2	71.6	71.6	71.4	71.7	70.4	76.0	73.3
Food and Allied Products (13)	163.6	163.9	163.4	161.3	160.9	165.2	162.3	161.9	172.4	170.2
Beverages (7)	116.9	117.5	116.5	111.9	111.8	114.4	113.8	114.2	123.9	132.5
Building Materials (14)	148.7	148.7	147.9	143.8	143.1	145.2	145.1	144.5	168.3	158.2
Industrial Mines (2)	441.6	444.1	442.4	419.4	421.0	428.7	427.3	438.3	493.6	514.6
19 UTILITIES	56.3	56.4	56.8	55.3	55.8	55.5	55.8	56.0	58.1	59.2
Transportation (2)	23.9	23.9	23.9	22.8	22.8	22.6	23.0	23.5	25.5	33.8
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	126.1	125.8	127.0	125.2	126.1	127.6	126.5	124.6	127.2	115.1
Power and Traction (15)	77.1	77.4	78.1	76.1	77.0	76.3	76.8	77.1	79.4	76.6
9 BANKS	82.5	82.6	82.9	82.7	82.2	82.5	82.6	82.5	88.2	80.0
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	132.4	132.2	130.4	126.1	128.9	130.9	129.7	125.1	131.5	157.9
Gold Stocks (21)	112.3	111.6	110.5	107.4	109.4	110.7	110.0	104.2	104.4	127.7
Base Metals (3)	214.9	216.9	212.1	202.5	208.5	214.1	210.3	209.9	243.4	282.7
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	114.7	114.7	114.7	114.9	114.8	114.7	114.8	114.7	115.7	117.8
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	69.2	69.2	69.2	69.2	69.4	69.7	69.4	69.2	67.7	65.1
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9528	4.9538	4.9548	4.9520	4.9539	4.9540	4.9536	4.9490	4.9665	4.9094
U.S. dollars	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	.9994
French franc	.0342	.0329	.0330	.0329	.0330	.0330	.0332	.0342	.0374	.0467
Belgian belga	.1684	.1686	.1684	.1685	.1685	.1685	.1685	.1684	.1685	.1681
Netherlands florin	.5528	.5530	.5528	.5528	.5529	.5528	.5529	.5527	.5514	.5307
Japanese yen	.2882	.2888	.2885	.2886	.2885	.2885	.2885	.2884	.2898	.2864
Australian pound	3.9620	3.9630	3.9640	3.9615	3.9631	3.9632	3.9628	3.9591	3.9732	3.9275
Argentine peso - free rate	.2975	-	.2980	.2985	.2985	.2985	.2982	.2975	.3007	.2776

x Bank of Canada.

INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY-FOUR MINING STOCKS
(1926=100)

Number of Stocks 1937	Gold 21	Base Metal 3	Total Index 24
1928 - High	137.2	322.2	138.6
Low	75.4	105.7	107.3
1929 - High	89.7	318.0	127.9
Low	52.7	157.3	72.6
1930 - High	66.7	203.1	88.3
Low	53.3	56.4	56.7
1931 - High	79.5	108.3	85.4
Low	54.4	49.9	54.8
1932 - High	63.1	82.3	64.8
Low	48.5	42.5	46.8
1933 - High	111.9	144.1	116.7
Low	64.9	68.2	65.1
1934 - High	140.1	167.6	143.3
Low	103.1	125.0	107.3
1935 - High	131.2	211.7	136.7
Low	104.7	128.6	114.9
1936 - High	136.2	322.1	170.3
Low	118.3	205.5	135.4
936			
rch	122.7	232.2	144.2
ril	122.8	241.1	145.8
y	128.9	239.2	150.3
ne	134.4	246.0	156.1
ly	134.4	254.1	157.6
gust	132.6	264.0	158.1
ptember	131.2	267.1	157.6
tober	126.4	289.4	158.2
vember	131.8	312.5	167.0
cember	131.3	317.8	167.7
37			
nuary	137.5	329.6	174.6
bruary	139.4	344.8	177.2
rch	133.0	340.5	172.6
ril	120.0	288.0	154.1
y	111.3	269.3	142.1
ne	105.9	255.0	134.7
ly	109.2	278.9	141.8
gust	112.5	287.4	146.2
ptember	103.5	224.5	127.6
kly Index Numbers			
k ending Sept. 2nd	110.9	266.3	141.1
" " 9th	104.4	243.4	131.5
" " 16th	101.1	229.6	126.3
" " 23rd	104.2	224.3	127.9
" " 30th	104.2	209.9	125.1
" Oct 7th	110.0	210.3	129.7

Weekly figures.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, OCTOBER 8-OCTOBER 14
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INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Industrial and utility common stock averages moved steadily lower during the week ended October 14. The general index suffered the greatest weekly net loss in the current year with the exception of the final week in April. However, present price levels are approximately 16 p.c. under the low reached on April 29. The most pronounced weakness was apparent in the latter part of the period, and was accompanied by heavy liquidation. All sections of the index recorded losses with industrial mines, oils, machinery and equipment, building materials, beverages and milling leading the decline. The Investors' general price index for industrial utility and bank common stocks showed a net loss of 8.2 for the week ending October 14, dropping to 105.4. Industrials were down 15.0 to 169.1, utilities 3.6 to 51.9 and banks 0.3 to 82.2.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Recessions on the Canadian mining market continued throughout the week ending October 14. The daily general index showed a slight rise on the 9th, when higher gold prices brought gold issues up fractionally, although volume of trading was reported light. The gold stocks daily average closed at 3.3 points above the year's low while further decline in base metals placed the index at 194.4 on the final day of trading, a record low since December 1935. The Bureau's weekly index for twenty-four mining issues dropped from 129.7 for the week ending October 7 to 124.0 for the following week with the gold section moving down from 110.0 to 105.6 and the base metals receding from 210.3 to 199.9.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, fell from 114.8 for the week ending October 7 to 114.7 for the week of October 14. Prices rose fractionally at the opening session, but on the next day reflected weakness apparent at New York and London. Firmness was evident for the balance of the week with demand fairly steady. Provincial bonds moved irregularly. British Consols receded from 75 1/16 to 74 $\frac{3}{4}$ and the Dow-Jones average of 40 high-grade United States bonds dropped 1.49 points to 95.84. The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 69.4 for the week of October 7 to 69.6 for the week of October 14. The average yield of the issues used in this index remained at 3.32 as compared with 3.16 for a year ago.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

As short covering became more active, the French franc has rallied. Closing quotations at New York reached 3.37$\frac{3}{4}$¢ on October 13, up 5$\frac{1}{4}$ points from Monday. However, there was a reaction of 1$\frac{1}{4}$ points to 3.36$\frac{1}{2}$¢ on the 14th. London gold price moved uninterruptedly down from 140sh. 6$\frac{1}{2}$d. to 140sh. 4d. during the week but as sterling rates in relation to the dollar advanced, the margin of profit remained small and no shipments to the United States were recorded. The British £ at Montreal was slightly above $4.95 throughout the week. The discount on New York dollars narrowed from 0.06 p.c. on October 9 to 0.03 p.c. on October 13.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	OCTOBER 8	9	+11	12	13	14	Weekly Average Oct.8-14	Preceding Weekly Average Oct.1-7	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	112.2	111.5	-	107.9	107.9	105.4	108.1	113.6	119.8	128.7
68 INDUSTRIALS	181.3	180.3	-	173.9	173.7	169.1	173.9	183.6	195.4	213.8
Machinery and Equipment (8)	113.0	110.8	-	109.6	106.5	104.0	107.3	116.2	123.3	127.1
Pulp and Paper (6)	25.7	25.4	-	24.2	23.2	20.4	22.4	26.5	29.9	24.6
Milling (4)	74.2	74.4	-	72.5	70.9	70.0	72.8	78.4	89.3	100.4
Oils (4)	204.2	203.1	-	196.4	195.6	191.0	196.0	204.8	203.8	236.7
Textiles and Clothing (10)	72.5	72.1	-	71.5	70.3	71.0	71.2	71.7	74.8	73.7
Food and Allied Products (13)	164.2	164.1	-	161.1	161.8	157.8	161.4	162.3	166.2	171.2
Beverages (7)	112.2	112.5	-	107.1	107.2	104.5	107.5	113.8	118.9	133.6
Building Materials (14)	142.2	141.8	-	135.9	136.5	134.0	136.8	145.1	158.8	160.3
Industrial Mines (2)	417.8	415.1	-	398.2	400.9	388.2	400.9	427.3	489.3	518.4
19 UTILITIES	55.0	54.5	-	52.8	52.8	51.9	53.0	55.8	57.2	60.2
Transportation (2)	22.3	21.6	-	21.1	21.3	21.1	21.3	23.0	24.8	34.6
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	126.5	125.0	-	124.0	124.0	123.5	124.5	126.5	126.8	115.7
Power and Traction (15)	75.8	75.5	-	72.6	72.4	70.8	72.8	76.8	78.1	77.8
9 BANKS	82.6	82.5	-	82.5	82.4	82.2	82.4	82.6	86.7	80.6
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	128.0	128.4	-	125.1	123.8	120.2	124.0	129.7	126.3	156.8
Gold Stocks (21)	108.4	109.3	-	107.4	105.8	102.0	105.6	110.0	101.1	126.1
Base Metals (3)	208.5	207.0	-	197.6	197.8	194.4	199.9	210.3	229.6	283.6
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	114.8	114.7	-	114.7	114.7	114.7	114.7	114.8	115.5	117.0
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	69.3	69.6	-	69.6	69.6	69.6	69.6	69.4	68.1	66.3
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9513	4.9506	-	4.9552	4.9560	4.9584	4.9543	4.9536	4.9493	4.8991
U.S. dollars	.9995	.9994	-	.9995	.9997	.9995	.9995	1.0000	1.0007	.9998
French franc	.0330	.0330	-	.0332	.0336	.0337	.0333	.0332	.0350	.0467
Belgian belga	.1684	.1684	-	.1684	.1685	.1684	.1684	.1685	.1684	.1682
Netherlands florin	.5525	.5526	-	.5525	.5527	.5522	.5525	.5529	.5502	.5333
Japanese yen	.2884	.2884	-	.2884	.2885	.2886	.2885	.2885	.2884	.2864
Australian pound	3.9610	3.9605	-	3.9641	3.9648	3.9666	3.9634	3.9628	3.9594	3.9193
Argentine peso - free rate	.2984	-	-	.2989	.2989	.2989	.2988	.2982	.2990	.2777

x Bank of Canada. + Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges closed.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co.,Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
anuary	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6	117.7
ebruary	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0	115.3
arch	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5	112.9
pril	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7	112.7
ay	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9	113.8
une	98.3	101.0	105.0	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0	114.9
uly	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0	115.1
ugust	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1	115.5
eptember	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1	115.3
ctober	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1	-
ovember	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6	-
ecember	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co.,Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
anuary	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4	64.6
ebruary	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8	68.4
arch	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9	72.7
pril	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5	73.2
ay	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8	71.0
une	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9	69.3
uly	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1	69.0
ugust	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2	68.1
eptember	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1	68.3
ctober	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2	-
ovember	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1	-
ecember	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO POPULAR BOND ISSUES, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by Wood, Gundy & Co., Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
anuary	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.3	76.2	85.5	70.4
ebruary	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6	74.3
arch	101.3	101.3	95.0	110.6	100.0	90.2	79.5	77.3	78.5
pril	103.3	101.3	95.0	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5	77.9
ay	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6	74.5
une	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3	72.9
uly	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0	73.1
ugust	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2	72.2
eptember.....	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	88.3	69.9	71.8
ctober	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2	-
ovember	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	71.8	-
ecember	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	82.7	69.7	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BONDS, 1937 [x]

Date		Prices	Yields
August	5	115.2	68.8
	12	115.5	68.2
	19	115.8	67.7
	26	115.5	68.2
September	2	115.7	67.7
	9	115.7	67.7
	16	115.5	68.1
	23	115.4	68.4
	30	114.7	69.2
October	7	114.8	69.4
	14	114.7	69.6

[x] Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, OCTOBER 15-OCTOBER 21
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

The drastic decline in prices of common stocks commencing October 7 culminated on October 18. It was followed during the next three days by marked recovery. A sharp increase in sales occurred during the final stages of recession and trading volume was fairly well maintained during the recovery. The severe break on Monday and Tuesday morning occurred as recessions on the New York market gained momentum. Subsequently prices rebounded sharply and advances practically wiped out five day declines. All sections of the index with the exception of textiles, foods, telephone and telegraph, and banks recorded net gains for the week. Industrial mines led the upswing mounting from 356.5 on October 18 to 404.1 at the close, coincidental with rising metal prices at London. Oils, milling, machinery and equipment and pulp and paper also attracted attention. The Investors' daily price index advanced from 105.4 on October 14 to 108.4 on October 21. Industrials rose 6.2 points to 175.3 and utilities 1.0 to 52.9 while banks declined 2.2 to 80.0.

MINING STOCK PRICES

A violent break on Canadian mining markets occurred on the 18th and 19th of October. Selling pressure forced prices down to levels considerably under recently established lows. The final days of the week ended October 21, witnessed a rebound, and earlier losses were more than retrieved. Both gold and base metal groups participated in the brisk recovery, and just as base metal shares suffered most heavily in the decline so also were they the more prominent in the subsequent rally. The general price index for twenty-four mining issues was 123.2 on October 21 as compared with 120.2 a week earlier. The gold section moved up from 102.0 to 104.6, and the base metals from 194.4 to 199.3. In spite of the improvement noted above, weekly averages fell sharply. The general index receded 8.2 to 115.8, golds down 5.9 and base metals 16.4 between the weeks ended October 14 and 21.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

Bond movements reflected, to some extent, conditions on the stock markets during the past week and the Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, fell from 114.7 for the week ending October 14 to 114.5 for the week ending October 21. For the first few days, prices of Dominion issues held up well despite a severe break at New York, but later, weakness developed and bids dropped fractionally. Provincials, generally, were soft with Alberta's and Saskatchewan's showing the greatest reductions which exceeded 3 points in a few instances. British Consols declined 5/8 to 74 1/8 while the Dow-Jones average of 40 high-grade United States bonds dipped from 95.84 to 95.29. The index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields advanced from 69.6 to 69.7 in the same period, and the average yield of the issues used in this index rose from 3.32 to 3.34. This compared with 3.19 for the corresponding week of last year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Little interest was shown in foreign exchanges throughout the week. Principal currencies fluctuated narrowly with the general firmness credited chiefly to the action of official stabilisation funds. The Swiss franc moved up to 23.09¼¢ on the 20th, the highest point for the year, but receded moderately on the following day. Spot francs remained steady and the discount on ninety day forward rates was reduced gradually from 11¼ points on the 15th to 8 on the 21st. No shipments of gold to the United States was reported as the London price held above the New York parity. Sterling at Montreal ranged between $4.953 and $4.958 and the French franc between 3.37¢ and 3.38¢. The discount on the United States dollar was reduced from 0.06 to 0.03 of 1 p.c.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	OCTOBER 15	16	18	19	20	21	Weekly Average Oct.15-21	Preceding Weekly Average Oct.8-14	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	103.1	103.3	97.8	98.6	105.3	108.4	102.2	108.1	117.6	129.3
68 INDUSTRIALS	165.2	165.6	154.9	158.2	170.1	175.3	164.2	173.9	190.9	216.0
Machinery and Equipment (8)	100.1	100.7	94.3	93.8	100.6	107.9	98.5	107.3	120.2	125.7
Pulp and Paper (6)	20.7	20.6	19.8	19.1	22.3	24.0	20.9	22.4	28.3	25.7
Milling (4)	66.9	67.0	64.5	62.5	67.0	77.5	66.4	72.8	89.2	103.5
Oils (4)	184.0	183.2	172.2	178.4	194.3	198.6	186.6	196.0	203.8	239.3
Textiles and Clothing (10)	70.3	70.4	68.6	64.8	66.3	66.3	66.1	71.2	73.0	73.6
Food and Allied Products (13)	156.2	155.4	152.1	142.9	149.6	151.6	149.6	161.4	165.6	173.2
Beverages (7)	102.9	104.2	100.6	99.4	102.8	108.0	102.1	107.5	117.8	133.3
Building Materials (14)	129.0	129.6	124.6	118.9	132.5	137.0	127.5	136.8	156.3	164.2
Industrial Mines (2)	385.3	388.7	356.5	367.9	391.5	404.1	379.4	400.9	465.3	524.2
19 UTILITIES	50.5	50.6	49.0	48.0	51.3	52.9	49.9	53.0	57.2	59.4
Transportation (2)	20.1	20.1	19.8	18.8	21.3	21.6	20.1	21.3	24.6	33.3
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	123.9	124.0	124.0	120.9	120.9	121.3	121.6	124.5	126.4	115.4
Power and Traction (15)	68.7	68.8	65.6	64.9	69.6	72.9	67.6	72.8	78.5	77.2
9 BANKS	82.1	82.0	81.6	79.6	79.5	80.0	80.5	82.4	85.1	81.4
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	119.1	119.5	114.5	110.7	118.6	123.2	115.8	124.0	127.9	159.4
Gold Stocks (21)	101.3	101.7	99.1	96.5	102.0	104.6	99.7	105.6	104.2	126.3
Base Metals (3)	192.0	192.2	177.6	168.7	186.7	199.3	183.5	199.9	224.3	296.0
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	114.7	114.6	114.6	114.6	114.1	114.1	114.5	114.7	115.4	116.8
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	69.6	69.5	69.6	69.6	69.8	69.9	69.7	69.6	68.4	66.9
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9580	4.9556	4.9549	4.9536	4.9514	4.9533	4.9545	4.9543	4.9569	4.8899
U.S. dollars	.9994	.9994	.9994	.9997	.9997	.9998	.9996	.9995	1.0000	1.0000
French franc	.0337	.0337	.0337	.0338	.0338	.0339	.0338	.0333	.0340	.0465
Belgian belga	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1684	.1685	.1687	.1685	.1684	.1683	.1683
Netherlands florin	.5525	.5526	.5526	.5526	.5527	.5529	.5527	.5525	.5519	.5379
Japanese yen	.2885	.2885	.2884	.2885	.2883	.2884	.2884	.2885	.2890	.2857
Australian pound	3.9665	3.9635	3.9639	3.9629	3.9612	3.9626	3.9634	3.9634	3.9648	3.9119
Argentine peso - free rate	.2988	-	.2988	.2979	.2979	.2980	.2983	.2988	.2992	.2772

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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS
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	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES					
Number of Securities 1937	Total 68	Machinery and Equipment 8	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 4	Oils 4	Textiles and Clothing 10	Food and Allied Products 13	Beverages 7	Building Materials 14	Industrial Mines 2	Total 19	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 15	Banks 9	Grand Total 96
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	432.5	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	281.1	591.3	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	131.7	198.3
Low	199.3	184.7	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	179.1	256.2	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	116.7	134.6
x 1933 - High	129.2	99.8	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	84.9	190.0	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	81.1	82.5
Low	56.0	39.2	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	44.3	74.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	63.1	43.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	126.5	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	104.1	242.2	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	75.2	83.1
Low	111.8	78.2	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	79.5	187.0	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	64.4	69.5
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.7	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	118.0	377.9	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	79.8	98.8
Low	123.7	109.1	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	102.6	193.3	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	75.3	75.7
x 1936 - High	226.1	142.3	31.9	115.4	254.5	76.5	182.9	152.6	192.0	553.9	64.7	37.6	121.7	84.5	84.5	122.6
Low	180.2	102.0	16.5	79.5	216.5	65.6	145.2	122.8	123.6	371.2	50.6	28.1	108.8	63.2	76.6	98.6
1936																
June	189.3	106.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	77.8	113.8
July	190.1	102.4	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	425.5	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	77.2	114.3
August	191.4	103.0	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	79.0	114.7
September	200.6	113.6	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	149.7	488.1	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	79.7	119.5
1937																
January	222.0	156.3	37.2	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	94.4	137.4
February	228.8	163.4	36.7	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	96.7	142.4
March	241.7	168.3	40.2	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	95.9	147.2
April	224.1	157.5	47.1	117.4	230.4	79.9	182.4	133.4	204.8	538.9	64.1	35.0	122.0	85.1	94.0	136.2
May	216.4	151.3	38.5	109.4	229.6	77.5	178.5	128.4	188.4	525.8	63.0	32.8	124.7	84.0	92.7	132.2
June	210.1	148.1	38.2	103.7	220.2	77.7	177.7	131.0	179.6	510.8	63.2	32.3	127.3	84.1	92.3	129.4
July	217.8	148.0	40.5	102.0	222.6	79.7	182.1	136.1	188.7	547.4	63.9	29.7	128.0	88.0	90.2	133.0
August	221.6	151.2	40.4	95.2	223.6	79.5	182.0	136.9	192.7	564.2	65.2	29.9	128.7	90.4	89.9	135.2
September	193.3	122.8	29.3	89.1	205.3	73.3	167.9	118.3	159.4	470.5	57.4	24.8	126.6	78.6	84.9	118.9
Weekly Index Numbers																
October 22, 1936	216.0	125.7	25.7	103.5	239.3	73.6	173.2	133.3	164.2	524.2	59.4	33.3	115.4	77.2	81.4	129.3
1937																
September 30	183.7	113.9	26.1	86.6	199.8	70.4	161.9	114.2	144.5	438.3	56.0	23.5	124.6	77.1	82.5	113.7
October 7	183.6	116.2	26.5	78.4	204.8	71.7	162.3	113.8	145.1	427.3	55.8	23.0	126.5	76.8	82.6	113.6
October 14	173.9	107.3	22.4	72.8	196.0	71.2	161.4	107.5	136.8	400.9	53.0	21.3	124.5	72.8	82.4	108.1
October 21	164.2	98.5	20.9	66.4	186.6	66.1	149.6	102.1	127.5	379.4	49.9	20.1	121.6	67.6	80.5	102.2

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, NOVEMBER 12-NOVEMBER 18.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Canadian common stock averages registered consistent daily recessions during the week ended November 18 when losses also predominated at New York. In the industrial section, price changes were mostly narrow, with the exception of industrial mines, and trading was comparatively light. Net declines ranged from 24.8 points for the two industrial mines to 0.1 for foods, while oils were the only sub-group to show a net gain for the week. Brazilian was the centre of attraction in utilities and turned over in large quantities due to uneasiness over political developments in Brazil. The Investors' daily price index for 96 common stocks receded 2.9 points for the week ended November 18, dropping to 103.4. Industrials were down 4.3 to 167.6, utilities 2.1 to 49.7 and banks 0.6 to 78.8.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Prices of mining issues moved irregularly on comparatively light trading on Canadian markets and the general index of twenty-four mining stocks ended the week of November 18 with a net loss of 1.1 points at 129.3. Under the leadership of the seniors, some mid-week improvement was shown in the gold section when the gold average rose from 111.6 on November 13 to 114.3 on the 16th, but later receded a full point. Starting fairly strong base metals subsequently displayed weakness, the index declining from 205.6 on November 12 to 194.5 on the 18th. However, the weekly figure for the base metals advanced from 191.3 for the week of November 11 to 200.5 for the following week while the gold index fell from 115.6 to 113.2 for the same period.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, remained at 114.9 for the week ending November 18. Trading was light in the opening days with price movements narrow, but a better tone appeared in the latter part of the week as successful provincial financing gave a fillip to the market. The $25,000,000 Province of Ontario loan for refunding and other purposes proved popular and was quickly taken up on Wednesday, while New Brunswick's recent loan of $6,500,000 for roads was reported as having been oversubscribed also, with the books closing on Thursday. Both British Consols and the Dow-Jones average of 40 high-grade United States bonds closed the week at a slightly lower level after an early rise. The former was quoted in London at 76 1/8 compared with 76¼ for the previous Thursday, while the latter declined from 93.38 to 92.88 in the same period. The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields was unchanged at 68.7 for the week ending November 18 while the average yield of the issues used in this index was 3.30.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Sterling rates stiffened again in the third week of November, tending to stabilize temporarily between $4.99 and $5.00. The United States dollar has dropped to a discount of 1/8 of one per cent. at Montreal. A small gold shipment was recently made from the United States to London, but a decline in European gold hoarding has since brought the London bullion price down below the United States export parity. The Bank of France reduced its official discount rate on November 12 from 3½ to 3 per cent. Franc rates have held firm just below 3.34 cents for more than two weeks. Large increases in central bank gold reserves in recent months have contributed to the strong position of the Netherlands florin which is currently quoted around 55.4 cents.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	NOVEMBER 12	13	15	16	17	18	Weekly Average Nov.12-18	Preceding Weekly Average Nov.5-11	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	104.9	104.8	104.5	104.4	104.3	103.4	104.5	104.8	102.2	135.5
68 INDUSTRIALS	171.0	171.3	170.3	169.4	169.2	167.6	169.7	168.5	164.2	226.1
Machinery and Equipment (8)	108.6	108.5	106.9	107.9	107.7	105.6	107.3	105.7	98.5	142.7
Pulp and Paper (6)	22.2	21.7	21.5	21.1	20.8	20.1	21.2	21.1	20.9	26.6
Milling (4)	79.5	77.9	77.9	77.8	77.5	77.5	77.6	78.3	66.4	108.1
Oils (4)	194.8	195.4	196.4	195.7	196.4	197.1	195.8	192.9	186.6	243.8
Textiles and Clothing (10)	68.5	69.2	68.1	68.4	67.5	67.6	68.1	68.9	66.1	75.6
Food and Allied Products (13)	155.4	155.9	155.6	155.5	155.8	155.7	155.6	155.7	149.6	182.9
Beverages (7)	119.3	119.9	118.8	118.1	117.9	117.4	118.6	118.2	102.1	140.7
Building Materials (14)	131.0	132.0	132.4	130.4	130.2	130.5	131.1	131.8	127.5	179.6
Industrial Mines (2)	382.0	382.1	374.8	371.8	369.6	359.2	371.9	372.5	379.4	557.3
19 UTILITIES	49.5	49.0	49.4	50.0	49.9	49.7	49.4	51.6	49.9	62.6
Transportation (2)	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.0	20.1	20.1	20.1	35.9
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	122.2	122.4	121.7	121.5	121.4	121.8	121.8	122.2	121.6	117.1
Power and Traction (15)	66.7	65.7	66.5	68.0	67.8	67.2	66.6	71.0	67.6	81.5
9 BANKS	79.1	79.0	79.0	79.0	79.0	78.8	78.9	80.0	80.5	84.9
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	130.6	129.2	129.8	130.9	131.0	129.3	130.3	130.7	115.8	169.2
Gold Stocks (21)	112.3	111.6	113.0	114.3	114.2	113.3	113.2	115.6	99.7	133.9
Base Metals (3)	205.6	200.8	198.6	198.6	199.5	194.5	200.5	191.3	183.5	315.1
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	114.9	114.9	114.8	114.9	115.0	115.1	114.9	114.9	114.5	117.8
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	68.7	68.7	68.7	68.7	68.6	68.3	68.7	68.7	69.7	64.8
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9825	4.9831	4.9907	5.0053	5.0038	4.9949	4.9934	5.0028	4.9545	4.8810
U.S. dollars	.9994	.9994	.9994	.9992	.9992	.9988	.9992	.9994	.9996	.9986
French franc	.0339	.0338	.0339	.0340	.0340	.0340	.0339	.0340	.0338	.0464
Belgian belga	.1696	.1697	.1701	.1704	.1704	.1699	.1700	.1703	.1685	.1689
Netherlands florin	.5530	.5531	.5534	.5543	.5545	.5536	.5537	.5540	.5527	.5393
Japanese yen	.2902	.2908	.2907	.2913	.2915	.2908	.2909	.2914	.2884	.2853
Australian pound	3.9860	3.9865	3.9926	4.0043	4.0031	3.9959	3.9947	4.0023	3.9634	3.9048
Argentine peso - free rate	.2958	-	.2958	.2953	.2953	.2936	.2952	.2972	.2983	.2766

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1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	317.6	432.5	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	281.1	591.3	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	131.7	198.3
Low	199.3	184.7	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	179.1	256.2	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	116.7	134.6
x 1933 - High	129.2	99.8	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	84.9	190.0	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	81.1	82.5
Low	56.0	39.2	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	44.3	74.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	63.1	43.3
x 1934 - High	133.4	126.5	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	104.1	242.2	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	75.2	83.1
Low	111.8	78.2	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	79.5	187.0	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	64.4	69.5
x 1935 - High	180.5	130.7	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	118.0	377.9	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	79.8	98.8
Low	123.7	109.1	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	102.6	193.3	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	75.3	75.7
x 1936 - High	226.1	142.3	31.9	115.4	254.5	76.5	182.9	152.6	192.0	553.9	64.7	37.6	121.7	84.5	84.5	122.6
Low	180.2	102.0	16.5	79.5	216.5	65.6	145.2	122.8	123.6	371.2	50.6	28.1	108.8	63.2	76.6	98.6
1936																
June	189.3	106.3	17.5	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	77.8	113.8
July	190.1	102.4	18.6	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	425.5	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	77.2	114.3
August	191.4	103.0	18.0	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	79.0	114.7
September	200.6	113.6	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	149.7	488.1	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	79.7	119.5
October	212.3	127.3	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	162.6	519.3	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	80.6	126.9
1937																
January	222.0	156.3	37.2	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	94.4	137.4
February	228.8	163.4	36.7	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	96.7	142.4
March	241.7	168.3	40.2	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	95.9	147.2
April	224.1	157.5	47.1	117.4	230.4	79.9	182.4	133.4	204.8	538.9	64.1	35.0	122.0	85.1	94.0	136.2
May	216.4	151.3	38.5	109.4	229.6	77.5	178.5	128.4	188.4	525.8	63.0	32.8	124.7	84.0	92.7	132.2
June	210.1	148.1	38.2	103.7	220.2	77.7	177.7	131.0	179.6	510.8	63.2	32.3	127.3	84.1	92.3	129.4
July	217.8	148.0	40.5	102.0	222.6	79.7	182.1	136.1	188.7	547.4	63.9	29.7	128.0	88.0	90.2	133.0
August	221.6	151.2	40.4	95.2	223.6	79.5	182.0	136.9	192.7	564.2	65.2	29.9	128.7	90.4	89.9	135.2
September	193.3	122.8	29.3	89.1	205.3	73.3	167.9	118.3	159.4	470.5	57.4	24.8	126.6	78.6	84.9	118.9
October	170.3	104.3	22.5	69.9	192.0	68.0	154.1	105.6	132.5	395.0	51.7	20.9	122.9	70.7	81.4	105.8
Weekly Index Numbers																
November 19, 1936	226.1	142.7	26.6	108.1	243.8	75.6	182.9	140.7	179.6	557.3	62.6	35.9	117.1	81.5	84.9	135.5
1937																
October 28	171.9	106.9	23.0	73.6	195.2	68.5	153.7	107.4	134.6	393.4	52.2	20.9	122.2	71.7	80.8	106.7
November 4	174.1	109.5	23.0	78.2	196.5	69.1	158.0	114.2	138.3	396.0	52.9	21.2	124.0	72.9	80.4	108.0
Nobember 11	168.5	105.7	21.1	78.3	192.9	68.9	155.7	118.2	131.8	372.5	51.6	20.1	122.2	71.0	80.0	104.8
November 18	169.7	107.3	21.2	77.6	195.8	68.1	155.6	118.6	131.1	371.9	49.4	20.1	121.8	66.6	78.9	104.5

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, NOVEMBER 19-NOVEMBER 25.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Industrial and utility common stock prices moved irregularly lower during he week ended November 25, displaying notable losses at the opening but closing on a 'irmer tone. All industrials with the exception of milling stocks showed net losses ith industrial leading the recession. Weakness was also apparent for beverages, build-ng materials, oils, foods and machinery and equipment. Utilities showed recessions for he fourth successive week although changes were only fractional except in power and raction issues. The Investors' daily price index for Canadian common stocks receded .8 points for the week ended November 25, dropping to 98.6. Industrials were down .6 to 159.0, utilities 2.3 to 47.4 and banks 0.7 to 78.1.

MINING STOCK PRICES

The week ended November 25 was almost without feature on Canadian mining arkets. Apart from moderate declines sustained on Friday, November 19, with New York nd London revealing a weaker tone, price movements were generally narrow. The Bureau's ndex of twenty-four mining issues drifted lower from 129.3 on November 18 to 125.8 on he 24th. Next day it rose to 126.3 when more confidence was shown, although trading as less active. Senior gold stocks were quite firm, but their strength failed to old the remainder of the list. After three days of recessions, base metals exhibited ome strength, but were not particularly active. The general price index registered net loss of three points to 126.3 between the weeks ended November 18 and 25, with the old section declining 1.5 to 111.8 and base metals 9.4 to 185.1.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-erm bond prices, on the base 1926=100, remained at 114.9 for the week ending November 5. This was the third successive week the index had held at this level. For the first ew days prices were well maintained in light trading, but on Wednesday moderate losses ere shown in scattered issues. The daily index maintained by the Bureau showed a light decline during the week. Standing at 115.1 on November 18, it had fallen to 14.8 by the 25th, but was still 0.7 points above the 114.1 of November 1. British onsols at London dropped 5/8 to 75½ and the Dow-Jones average of 40 high-grade United tates bonds slipped from 92.88 to 91.54 in the same interval. This compared with uotations for November 1 of 74¾ and 94.79 respectively. The index for Dominion of anada long-term bond yields was slightly firmer, moving from 68.7 for the week ending ovember 18 to 68.8 for the week ending November 25. The average yield of the issues sed in this index was 3.30 as compared with 3.07 for the corresponding week of last ear.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

New York funds at Montreal registered small fractional gains during the week nded November 25, while sterling rates exhibited a slightly easier tendency. Dollars losed at a discount of 1/16 of one per cent. and sterling at $4.9911. The Netherland lorin continued to move upward, supported by commercial settlements, semi-annual in haracter. There was little change in French francs which remained just below 3.40 cents. outh American currencies were generally weaker, reflecting less favourable trade posi-ions subsequent to price declines in commodities forming an important proportion of xport trade.

SUMMARY OF PRINCIPAL PRICE INDEXES

Dates	NOVEMBER 19	20	22	23	24	25	Weekly Average Nov.19-25	Preceding Weekly Average Nov.12-18	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	100.6	100.5	98.0	98.5	97.8	98.6	99.0	104.5	106.7	131.3
68 INDUSTRIALS	162.3	162.4	157.7	158.8	157.8	159.0	159.7	169.7	171.9	217.7
Machinery and Equipment (8)	103.1	102.4	100.1	99.3	99.6	100.4	100.8	107.3	106.9	135.6
Pulp and Paper (6)	19.2	19.3	18.8	18.3	18.2	18.3	18.9	21.2	23.0	28.7
Milling (4)	83.8	82.2	82.2	80.9	80.2	80.9	81.3	77.6	73.6	109.9
Oils (4)	192.0	191.3	188.1	189.0	187.9	190.6	189.7	195.8	195.2	230.0
Textiles and Clothing (10)	67.2	67.1	66.3	65.7	66.2	66.1	66.5	68.1	68.5	73.9
Food and Allied Products (13)	152.8	151.7	152.0	151.1	149.5	149.3	151.2	155.6	153.7	179.3
Beverages (7)	110.8	111.4	111.2	109.7	109.1	109.1	110.3	118.6	107.4	138.1
Building Materials (14)	127.0	125.5	121.1	122.5	122.0	122.5	124.0	131.1	134.6	177.1
Industrial Mines (2)	344.4	347.2	328.6	334.2	331.7	332.1	336.2	371.9	393.4	541.0
19 UTILITIES	48.5	48.3	47.4	47.6	47.0	47.4	47.7	49.4	52.2	61.1
Transportation (2)	19.1	18.8	19.1	19.5	18.8	19.3	19.2	20.1	20.9	33.8
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	121.7	121.7	121.2	121.4	120.7	121.5	121.2	121.8	122.2	118.8
Power and Traction (15)	65.6	65.3	63.4	63.3	62.7	63.0	63.8	65.6	71.7	80.0
9 BANKS	78.7	78.4	78.2	78.0	77.8	78.1	78.3	78.9	80.8	86.4
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	127.0	127.0	126.1	126.0	125.8	126.3	126.4	130.3	123.7	168.3
Gold Stocks (21)	112.8	113.1	112.3	112.1	111.7	111.8	112.4	113.2	106.5	133.0
Base Metals (3)	184.7	183.3	182.4	182.4	183.1	185.1	183.1	200.5	194.5	314.4
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	114.9	114.9	114.9	114.9	114.8	114.8	114.9	114.9	114.2	117.9
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	68.7	68.7	68.7	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.8	68.7	69.9	64.6
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9952	4.9989	4.9935	4.9983	4.9964	4.9911	4.9956	4.9934	4.9520	4.8849
U.S. dollars	.9985	.9983	.9981	.9988	.9991	.9992	.9987	.9992	.9998	.9981
French franc	.0340	.0339	.0339	.0340	.0339	.0340	.0340	.0339	.0336	.0465
Belgian belga	.1700	.1699	.1698	.1699	.1699	.1700	.1699	.1700	.1687	.1688
Netherlands florin	.5539	.5542	.5539	.5549	.5553	.5551	.5546	.5537	.5529	.5407
Japanese yen	.2909	.2913	.2910	.2912	.2911	-	.2911	.2909	.2883	.2857
Australian pound	3.9962	3.9991	3.9948	3.9987	3.9971	3.9929	3.9965	3.9947	3.9616	3.9080
Argentine peso - free rate	.2961	-	.2934	.2921	.2927	-	.2936	.2952	.2962	.2765

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INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY-FOUR MINING STOCKS
(1926=100)

Number of Stocks 1937	Gold 21	Base Metal 3	Total Index 24
1928 - High	137.2	322.2	138.6
Low	75.4	105.7	107.3
1929 - High	89.7	318.0	127.9
Low	52.7	157.3	72.6
1930 - High	66.7	203.1	88.3
Low	53.3	56.4	56.7
1931 - High	79.5	108.3	85.4
Low	54.4	49.9	54.8
1932 - High	63.1	82.3	64.8
Low	48.5	42.5	46.8
1933 - High	111.9	144.1	116.7
Low	64.9	68.2	65.1
1934 - High	140.1	167.6	143.3
Low	103.1	125.0	107.3
1935 - High	131.2	211.7	136.7
Low	104.7	128.6	114.9
1936 - High	136.2	322.1	170.3
Low	118.3	205.5	135.4
1936			
August	132.6	264.0	158.1
September	131.2	267.1	157.6
October	126.4	289.4	158.2
November	131.8	312.5	167.0
December	131.3	317.8	167.7
1937			
January	137.5	329.6	174.6
February	139.4	344.8	177.2
March	133.0	340.5	172.6
April	120.0	288.0	154.1
May	111.3	269.3	142.1
June	105.9	255.0	134.7
July	109.2	278.9	141.8
August	112.5	287.4	146.2
September	103.5	224.5	127.6
October	104.3	192.4	121.6
Weekly Index Numbers			
Week ending Oct. 7th	110.0	210.3	129.7
" " " 14th	105.6	199.9	124.0
" " " 21st	99.7	183.5	115.8
" " " 28th	106.5	194.5	123.7
" " Nov. 4th	111.9	200.1	129.1
" " " 11th	115.6	191.3	130.7
" " " 18th	113.2	200.5	130.3
" " " 25th	112.4	183.1	126.4

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, NOVEMBER 26-DECEMBER 2.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Common stock prices continued higher on November 26 and 27, the first two days of the week under review. Then on Monday, the 29th, a reaction set in which was first pronounced in oils and industrial mines. Accordingly the general index moved downward till Thursday, when prices were considerably firmer. Trading volume was the lowest since the final week of August. In the industrial section, seven sub-groups displayed net gains while oils showed a decline and milling issues remained unchanged. A rise in prices of industrial mines on the final day placed this index at the highest point for the week. Building materials and beverages also exhibited consistent daily advances. Utilities lacked feature, although all sections of this index were appreciably higher. The Investors' daily price index for industrial, utility and bank common stocks mounted from 98.6 on November 25 to 102.0 on December 2. Sixty-eight industrials were up 6.1 points to 165.1, utilities 1.5 to 48.9 and banks 0.5 to 78.6.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Both gold and base metal groups closed the week ended December 2, with moderate advances to their credit, although general weakness was evident on November 30. In consequence the price index of twenty-four mining issues mounted from 126.4 for the week of November 25 to 130.1 for the following week. Mines moved quite similarly to industrials, but were more uniformly upward with trading volume at a low ebb. With the exception of one day the gold index recorded gains, as strength appeared in the seniors and prices of Kaffirs in London moved higher. Dome was the main feature in this section. The base metal index staged an advance of 16.2 points in the first two days but declined from 201.3 on November 27 to 195.6 on December 1. Despite lower copper prices on outside markets, base metals rose on the 2nd to 199.3. The gold group registered a net gain of 3.4 points to 115.2 and the base metals 14.2 points to 199.3. The Bureau's monthly general index of mining stocks was 129.4 for November as compared with 121.6 for October.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

Improved demand was reflected in mounting prices on the high-grade bond market and the Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 114.9 for the week ending November 25 to 115.0 for the week ending December 2. Increases of from ½ to 1 point were common and among the issues showing the greatest improvement were the 3 p.c. perpetuals, 3¼'s of '66, 3¼'s of '49 and 3½'s of '49. Provincials were relatively quiet with Saskatchewans working moderately higher. Province of Quebec bonds totalling $15 millions were offered on the 29th and quickly oversubscribed. British Consols at London fell from 75⅛ to 74¾, mostly in the last day, while the Dow-Jones average of 40 high-grade United States bonds advanced from 91.54 to 92.63. The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields declined from 68.8 for the week ending November 25 to 68.6 for the week ending December 2. The average weighted yield of the issues used in this index was 3.35 as compared with the year's high of 3.61 for the week of April 8, and 3.15 for the first week of December 1936.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

New York funds strengthened in the closing days of November co-incidentally with a decline in London gold bullion prices which removed any immediate prospect of a further gold drain in that direction. Montreal sterling rates remained steady between $4.98 and $4.99 with French francs also firm, just above 3.39 cents. Advances in the florin were checked by a reduction in the Netherlands official price of gold. Latin-American currencies were unsteady with a tendency to tighten exchange controls re-appearing. Trade positions of countries in this group have been adversely affected in recent months by price declines in basic commodity markets.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	NOVEMBER 26	NOVEMBER 27	NOVEMBER 29	NOVEMBER 30	DECEMBER 1	DECEMBER 2	Weekly Average Nov.26-Dec.2	Preceding Weekly Average Nov.19-25	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	100.6	102.4	102.0	100.9	100.9	102.0	101.4	99.0	108.0	128.7
68 INDUSTRIALS	162.9	166.7	165.5	163.3	162.7	165.1	164.3	159.7	174.1	211.9
Machinery and Equipment (8)	102.7	104.9	105.6	105.0	103.1	103.0	104.1	100.8	109.5	137.1
Pulp and Paper (6)	19.0	20.2	20.6	20.3	20.6	20.1	20.1	18.9	23.0	29.7
Milling (4)	82.2	82.2	82.3	80.8	80.9	80.9	81.7	81.3	78.2	110.6
Oils (4)	193.0	194.0	192.8	186.3	185.5	186.8	190.0	189.7	196.5	216.5
Textiles and Clothing (10)	65.6	65.8	65.8	65.7	66.2	66.5	66.0	66.5	69.1	73.0
Food and Allied Products (13)	150.0	151.1	151.0	151.9	153.4	152.4	151.5	151.2	158.0	180.2
Beverages (7)	111.8	112.7	112.6	113.8	114.9	115.2	113.3	110.3	114.2	142.7
Building Materials (14)	126.0	128.0	128.5	129.6	129.7	129.8	128.4	124.0	138.3	182.7
Industrial Mines (2)	346.6	365.1	359.9	361.7	359.2	370.5	359.6	336.2	396.0	531.0
19 UTILITIES	48.1	48.3	48.5	48.1	48.7	48.9	48.4	47.7	52.9	61.0
Transportation (2)	19.8	19.8	20.3	20.0	20.8	21.3	20.4	19.2	21.2	33.3
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	121.5	121.5	122.5	123.8	123.0	124.0	122.6	121.2	124.0	120.2
Power and Traction (15)	64.0	64.6	64.4	63.5	64.3	64.0	64.2	63.8	72.9	80.0
9 BANKS	78.4	78.4	78.4	78.5	78.6	78.6	78.4	78.3	80.4	86.5
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	128.0	130.8	130.5	129.1	129.7	131.8	130.1	126.4	129.1	168.2
Gold Stocks (21)	112.2	113.5	113.7	112.2	113.6	115.2	113.5	112.4	111.9	133.0
Base Metals (3)	192.4	201.3	198.8	198.1	195.6	199.3	198.1	183.1	200.1	313.6
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	114.9	114.9	115.0	115.0	115.0	115.2	115.0	114.9	114.3	117.9
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	68.8	68.7	68.6	68.6	68.5	68.2	68.6	68.8	69.9	64.6
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9887	4.9903	4.9881	4.9913	4.9844	4.9890	4.9886	4.9956	4.9645	4.8962
U.S. dollars	.9991	.9991	.9991	.9994	.9997	.9995	.9993	.9987	.9997	.9986
French franc	.0339	.0339	.0339	.0340	.0339	.0339	.0339	.0340	.0338	.0465
Belgian belga	.1698	.1699	.1698	.1699	.1698	.1699	.1699	.1699	.1692	.1688
Netherlands florin	.5554	.5552	.5553	.5556	.5550	.5549	.5552	.5546	.5528	.5429
Japanese yen	.2904	.2912	.2905	.2907	.2905	.2906	.2907	.2911	.2892	.2857
Australian pound	3.9910	3.9923	3.9905	3.9931	3.9875	3.9911	3.9909	3.9965	3.9717	3.9169
Argentine peso - free rate	.2927	-	.2932	.2928	.2924	.2924	.2927	.2936	.2959	.2796

x Bank of Canada.

EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1937

NOTE: The noon rates in Canadian Funds upon which these averages are based have been supplied by the Bank of Canada.

ormer Gold Parities	New York Funds	London Sterling 4.8666	France Franc .0392	Belgian Belga .1001	Italy Lira .0526	Switzerland Franc .1930	Holland Guilder .4020	Norway Kroner .2680	Sweden Kroner .2680	Denmark Kroner .2680
1937	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
January	1.0003	4.9092	.0467	.1687	.0526	.2294	.5477	.2467	.2531	.2192
February	1.0002	4.8953	.0466	.1687	.0526	.2284	.5470	.2460	.2524	.2185
March	.9995	4.8824	.0460	.1684	.0526	.2278	.5467	.2453	.2517	.2180
April	.9987	4.9095	.0449	.1683	.0525	.2279	.5468	.2467	.2530	.2191
May	.9984	4.9313	.0447	.1684	.0525	.2283	.5484	.2478	.2542	.2201
June	1.0005	4.9380	.0444	.1688	.0526	.2289	.5500	.2481	.2546	.2204
July	1.0013	4.9736	.0381	.1686	.0527	.2295	.5516	.2497	.2564	.2220
August	1.0001	4.9826	.0375	.1683	.0526	.2297	.5516	.2503	.2569	.2224
September	1.0000	4.9532	.0352	.1684	.0526	.2297	.5515	.2489	.2553	.2211
October	.9997	4.9535	.0335	.1685	.0526	.2301	.5527	.2489	.2554	.2211
November	.9992	4.9908	.0339	.1699	.0526	.2313	.5541	.2507	.2573	.2228

Former Gold Parities	Spain Peseta .1930	Czecho-Slovakia Koruna .0296	Argentine Peso (Paper) .4244 Unofficial	Australia (Pound) 4.8666	Brazil Milreis .1196 Unofficial	Germany Reichsmark .2382	India Rupee .3650	China (Shanghai) Dollar	Japan Yen .4985	Union of S.Africa (Pound) 4.8666	New Zealand (Pound) 4.8666
1937	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
January	-	.0350	.3024	3.9273	.0609	.4024	.3711	.2970	.2855	4.9031	3.9591
February	-	.0349	.3003	3.9162	.0611	.4023	.3699	.2964	.2854	4.8892	3.9485
March	-	.0349	.2998	3.9060	.0610	.4019	.3687	.2967	.2848	4.8763	3.9375
April	-	.0349	.3028	3.9276	.0625	.4015	.3708	.2969	.2860	4.9033	3.9592
May	-	.0348	.3029	3.9451	.0640	.4011	.3722	.2978	.2874	4.9251	3.9768
June	-	.0348	.3049	3.9504	.0656	.4009	.3726	.2969	.2877	4.9252	3.9822
July	-	.0349	.3016	3.9789	.0665	.4025	.3755	.2957	.2892	4.9674	4.0108
August	.0637	.0349	.3016	3.9861	.0655	.4022	.3761	.2967	.2903	4.9771	4.0183
September	.0647	.0349	.2989	3.9629	.0639	.4013	.3739	.2969	.2887	4.9470	3.9950
October	.0627	.0350	.2978	3.9628	.0585	.4015	.3740	.2948	.2884	4.9473	3.9947
November	.0627	.0351	.2950	3.9926	.0572	.4033	.3767	.2943	.2907	4.9845	4.0248

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, DECEMBER 3-DECEMBER 9.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Daily averages for Canadian common stocks moved consistently higher till the final day of the week ended December 9, when prices turned downward. Industrials moved higher in spite of recessions on December 6 and 9, and most sections of this group showed net gains for the week. Transportation was the only sub-group to register a net loss among the utilities. Most interest was centred on industrial mines, oils and power stocks. Banks displayed daily gains and recorded the largest weekly net change for the current year. The Investors' daily price index for industrial, utility and bank common stocks rose from 102.0 on December 2 to 103.9 on December 9. Industrials advanced 3.1 to 168.2, utilities 0.5 to 49.4 and banks 3.3 to 81.9.

MINING STOCK PRICES

For the week ended December 9, interest in the Canadian mining market was mostly centred on the base metal group which was stimulated by increases in the domestic price of metals. The base metal index advanced steadily from 195.6 on December 1 to 210.8 on the 8th, but next day receded to 208.3, when there was little resistance to general market weakness. Activity in the golds was chiefly in the better established junior issues, which displayed strength that found no counterpart in the seniors, and consequently only minor changes occurred in the group index. Daily gold averages fluctuated between 115.2 to 113.0 from December 2 and 9. The Bureau's index for twenty-four mining issues mounted from 130.1 for the week of December 2 to 132.3 for the following week, with the gold section rising from 113.5 to 114.1 and the base metal group from 198.1 to 207.5.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, rose from 115.0 for the week ending December 2 to 115.3 for the week ending December 9. A keener demand appeared as the week opened and prices moved fractionally higher, but interest soon dwindled and the market again lapsed into a state of dullness with a softer tendency apparent in the last two days. Featuring provincials was the weakness in Manitobas with declines ranging up to 5.25 points. Saskatchewans were easier also but the balance of the list was mainly steady to higher. British Consols at London were off 1/8 to 74 5/8 while the Dow-Jones average of selected United States bonds progressed from 92.63 to 93.75, showing a continued increase from the year's low of 91.54 reached on November 24. The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields fell from 68.6 for the week ending December 2 to 67.8 for the week ending December 9. The average weighted yield of the issues used in this index was 3.31 as compared with 3.35 for the previous week and 3.15 for a year ago.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Montreal rates on leading foreign exchanges increased during the week ended December 9, as the Canadian dollar registered its first appreciable decline since last June. Sterling advanced approximately a cent to close just under $5.00, while New York funds returned to par after being quoted at a discount since late in October. The French franc also moved slightly higher to 3.40 cents, and the Netherlands florin mounted from 55.5 cents to 55.6 cents. The Brazilian milreis was among the few currencies to decline, free market quotations easing fractionally to 5.54 cents. The milreis has dropped nearly half a cent since mid-November.

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL PRICE FACTORS

Dates	DECEMBER 3	4	6	7	8	9	Weekly Average Dec.3-9	Preceding Weekly Average Nov.26-Dec.2	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	103.1	103.7	103.8	104.1	105.1	103.9	103.9	101.4	104.8	129.0
68 INDUSTRIALS	167.5	169.1	168.3	169.2	170.5	168.2	168.7	164.3	168.5	212.7
Machinery and Equipment (8)	103.6	104.3	104.1	102.6	104.5	103.5	103.9	104.1	105.7	135.6
Pulp and Paper (6)	20.4	20.2	19.9	19.4	20.2	19.8	19.9	20.1	21.1	28.7
Milling (4)	82.2	82.2	82.2	82.2	82.9	82.8	82.3	81.7	78.3	110.1
Oils (4)	190.3	191.4	192.5	191.8	193.2	191.2	191.5	190.0	192.9	220.0
Textiles and Clothing (10)	66.3	68.3	68.3	67.9	68.0	67.9	67.6	66.0	68.9	73.5
Food and Allied Products (13)	152.8	154.8	156.1	155.2	154.8	154.6	154.7	151.5	155.7	178.2
Beverages (7)	116.3	117.0	116.8	117.7	117.2	117.5	117.2	113.3	118.2	141.5
Building Materials (14)	130.7	130.6	130.3	129.8	130.3	130.4	130.4	128.4	131.8	179.3
Industrial Mines (2)	375.8	381.3	374.3	382.0	385.6	376.6	379.4	359.6	372.5	531.4
19 UTILITIES	48.8	48.6	49.4	49.2	50.0	49.4	49.3	48.4	51.6	60.7
Transportation (2)	21.3	21.3	20.8	20.3	20.5	20.0	20.7	20.4	20.1	33.1
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	124.6	124.5	125.1	124.9	125.5	125.1	125.0	122.6	122.2	120.6
Power and Traction (15)	63.7	63.4	65.4	65.4	66.7	66.0	65.3	64.2	71.0	79.4
9 BANKS	79.6	79.8	80.0	80.6	81.1	81.9	80.8	78.4	80.0	86.7
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	131.7	131.8	132.7	133.1	132.9	131.7	132.3	130.1	130.7	164.4
Gold Stocks (21)	114.2	114.0	114.4	114.5	113.9	113.0	114.1	113.5	115.6	129.9
Base Metals (3)	203.2	204.6	207.4	209.0	210.8	208.3	207.5	198.1	191.3	306.9
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.4	115.4	115.4	115.4	115.3	115.3	115.3	115.0	114.9	118.0
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	67.8	67.7	67.7	67.8	67.9	68.0	67.8	68.6	68.7	64.5
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9889	4.9909	4.9962	4.9978	4.9958	4.9963	4.9943	4.9886	5.0028	4.8996
U.S. dollars	.9995	.9997	.9995	.9997	1.0000	1.0000	.9997	.9993	.9994	.9996
French franc	.0339	.0339	.0340	.0340	.0340	.0340	.0341	.0339	.0340	.0466
Belgian belga	.1698	.1699	.1699	.1698	.1700	.1699	.1699	.1699	.1703	.1691
Netherlands florin	.5552	.5555	.5562	.5564	.5560	.5560	.5559	.5552	.5540	.5439
Japanese yen	.2905	.2909	.2908	.2909	.2909	.2908	.2908	.2907	.2914	.2851
Australian pound	3.9911	3.9928	3.9969	3.9983	3.9966	3.9975	3.9955	3.9909	4.0023	3.9197
Argentine peso - free rate	.2929	-	.2927	.2929	.2930	.2930	.2929	.2927	.2972	.2902

x Bank of Canada.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
anuary	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6	117.7
ebruary	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0	115.3
arch	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5	112.9
pril	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7	112.7
ay	100.0	100.9	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9	113.8
une	98.3	101.0	105.0	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0	114.9
uly	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0	115.1
ugust	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1	115.5
eptember	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1	115.3
ctober	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1	114.5
ovember	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6	114.8
ecember	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by A.E. Ames and Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
anuary	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4	64.6
ebruary	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8	68.4
arch	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9	72.7
pril	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5	73.2
ay	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8	71.0
une	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9	69.3
uly	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1	69.0
ugust	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2	68.1
eptember	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1	68.3
ctober	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2	69.7
ovember	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1	68.8
ecember	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF [illegible] OF ONTARIO IMPROVEMENT FORM BONDS, 1929-1937.
(From data issued by Wood, Gundy & Co. Ltd.)
(1926=100)

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
nuary	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.3	76.2	85.5	70.4
bruary	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6	74.3
rch	101.3	101.3	95.0	110.6	100.0	90.2	79.5	77.3	78.5
ril	103.3	101.3	95.0	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5	77.9
y	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6	74.5
ne	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3	72.9
ly	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0	73.1
gust	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2	72.2
ptember	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	88.3	69.9	71.8
tober	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2	73.1
vember	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	71.8	72.7
cember	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	82.7	69.7	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BONDS, 1937[x]

Date	Prices	Yields
October 7	114.8	69.4
14	114.7	69.6
21	114.5	69.7
28	114.2	69.9
November 4	114.3	69.9
11	114.9	68.7
18	114.9	68.7
25	114.9	68.8
December 2	115.0	68.6
9	115.3	67.8

[x] Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, DEMCEBER 10-DECEMBER 16.
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INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

Irregularity characterized trading in Canadian common stocks at the beginning of the week ended December 16. Chief interest was centered on the utility group following the signing of Ontario Hydro agreements. On December 13 and 14 prices moved lower, but rallied again to close fairly firm. Trading was dull with very little buying interest in evidence, and price changes were comparatively narrow. Although the industrial group was higher at the close of the week under review, industrial mines, foods and milling were the only sub-groups to show net advances. Weakness was apparent for beverages, oils and building materials. All sections of utilities moved moderately higher with the only daily decline being recorded on Monday (December 13). The Investors' daily price index for industrial, utility and bank common stocks rose from 103.9 on December 9 to 104.9 on December 16. Industrials advanced 1.0 to 169.2, utilities 1.2 to 50.6 and banks 0.5 to 82.4.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Three days of advance on Canadian mining stock markets with volume substantially heavier, more than cancelled recessions sustained in the first half of the week ended December 16. The Bureau's weekly average index of twenty-four mining issues remained unchanged at 132.3 for this period but the daily index registered a net gain of 3.2 points, reaching 134.9 on the closing day. Golds and base metals followed a parallel course, although movements were narrower in the gold section. Base metals led the final upswing, reflecting improved metal prices in world markets. Strength was also displayed by senior gold issues. The daily index for the gold section moved from 113.0 to 116.1 between December 9 and 16, and base metals from 208.3 to 212.2.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, on the base 1926=100, remained at 115.3 for the week ending December 16. Demand was in fair volume during the first few days but dwindled as the week progressed, although prices remained steady. Provincials were inclined toward softness. Manitobas were outstanding in this respect with the 5's of '59 showing a loss of 4.0 points. British Consols at London fell from 74 5/8 to 74 3/8, while the Dow-Jones average of high-grade United States bonds declined from 93.75 to 93.42. The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields rose from 67.8 to 67.9, and the average weighted yield of the issues used in this index was 3.32 as compared with 3.31 for the previous week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

The United States dollar advanced to a small premium on December 15 after a period of nearly two months at fractional discounts. Montreal sterling rates have held steady during the first half of December just below the $5.00 level. Spot rates on French francs have also been practically unchanged at 3.40 cents, although discounts on forward positions increased. The 90-day rate at New York declined from 5 to 10 points between December 10 and 15. The Brazilian milreis free rate showed further moderate recession, but Latin-American currencies generally were steady. The differential between Argentine official and free rates has widened slightly during the past month.

Dates	DECEMBER 10	11	13	14	15	16	Weekly Average Dec.10-16	Preceding Weekly Average Dec.3-9	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	104.0	104.2	103.4	103.1	104.0	104.9	104.0	103.9	104.5	130.9
68 INDUSTRIALS	168.1	168.4	166.5	165.7	167.4	169.2	167.6	168.7	169.7	216.0
Machinery and Equipment (8)	102.8	102.3	102.2	102.3	102.7	102.9	102.5	103.9	107.3	137.8
Pulp and Paper (6)	19.5	19.6	18.8	18.9	18.9	18.9	19.0	19.9	21.2	29.0
Milling (4)	83.2	83.2	83.2	82.4	83.2	83.2	82.9	82.3	77.6	113.8
Oils (4)	191.5	190.6	189.3	186.9	187.5	189.3	189.3	191.5	195.8	219.9
Textiles and Clothing (10)	67.4	67.4	68.9	67.4	68.2	67.9	68.1	67.6	68.1	73.8
Food and Allied Products (13)	153.5	155.0	154.9	154.7	155.7	156.7	155.0	154.7	155.6	182.0
Beverages (7)	116.4	116.6	116.5	114.8	114.8	114.7	115.6	117.2	118.6	143.6
Building Materials (14)	129.7	129.9	129.0	129.3	129.9	129.2	129.5	130.4	131.1	185.3
Industrial Mines (2)	376.7	380.7	372.3	374.2	382.5	389.6	381.6	379.4	371.9	547.6
19 UTILITIES	49.7	50.0	49.8	50.0	50.3	50.6	50.1	49.3	49.4	61.6
Transportation (2)	20.3	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.3	20.1	20.7	20.1	33.6
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	125.3	125.8	125.8	126.1	126.3	126.0	126.0	125.0	121.8	121.6
Power and Traction (15)	66.4	67.1	66.8	67.1	67.8	68.1	67.3	65.3	66.6	80.8
9 BANKS	81.9	81.9	82.5	82.4	82.5	82.4	82.2	80.8	78.9	87.3
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	130.7	130.3	129.8	131.8	133.1	134.9	132.3	133.3	130.3	168.3
Gold Stocks (21)	112.6	112.5	112.4	114.1	114.8	116.1	114.2	114.1	113.2	131.4
Base Metals (3)	204.5	203.3	200.8	204.1	207.9	212.2	206.7	207.5	200.5	320.5
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.3	115.3	115.3	115.4	115.4	115.4	115.3	115.3	114.9	118.5
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	68.0	68.0	68.0	67.8	67.9	67.9	67.9	67.8	68.7	63.6
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	5.0000	4.9987	4.9967	4.9973	4.9993	4.9985	4.9984	4.9943	4.9934	4.9022
U.S. dollars	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0003	1.0003	1.0001	.9997	.9992	.9990
French franc	.0340	.0340	.0340	.0340	.0340	.0339	.0340	.0341	.0339	.0466
Belgian belga	.1700	.1700	.1700	.1700	.1701	.1701	.1700	.1699	.1700	.1689
Netherlands florin	.5561	.5563	.5562	.5562	.5564	.5564	.5563	.5559	.5537	.5443
Japanese yen	.2910	.2913	.2909	.2910	.2910	.2910	.2910	.2908	.2909	.2851
Australian pound	4.0080	3.9990	3.9975	3.9975	3.9992	3.9987	4.0000	3.9955	3.9947	3.9217
Argentine peso - free rate	.2935	-	.2935	.2935	.2936	.2931	.2934	.2929	.2952	.3030

x Bank of Canada.

(1926=100)

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES						
Number of Securities 1937	Total 68	Machinery and Equipment 8	Pulp and Paper 6	Milling 4	Oils 4	Textiles and Clothing 10	Food and Allied Products 13	Beverages 7	Building Materials 14	Industrial Mines 2	Total 19	Transportation 2	Telephone Telegraph 2	Power and Traction 15	Banks 9	Grand Total 96
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x1929-High	317.6	432.5	113.4	273.4	423.5	113.5	197.8	204.6	281.1	591.3	166.0	164.1	129.6	197.6	131.7	198.3
Low	199.3	184.7	70.9	196.6	251.4	77.5	135.1	84.1	179.1	256.2	126.7	119.0	107.7	134.8	116.7	134.6
x1933-High	129.2	99.8	12.8	87.0	168.0	65.3	150.9	205.4	84.9	190.0	63.7	52.3	88.8	73.5	81.1	82.5
Low	56.0	39.2	3.0	37.7	87.7	30.8	78.8	33.8	44.3	74.9	36.9	23.2	62.4	47.1	63.1	43.3
x1934-High	133.4	126.5	13.9	79.0	184.1	79.1	136.8	165.8	104.1	242.2	59.8	44.5	98.8	71.8	75.2	83.1
Low	111.8	78.2	7.8	64.3	141.6	60.6	117.0	80.5	79.5	187.0	45.4	28.1	85.0	56.3	64.4	69.5
x1935-High	180.5	130.7	17.3	78.6	231.8	76.6	149.5	165.4	118.0	377.9	52.4	33.4	109.4	67.6	79.8	98.8
Low	123.7	109.1	10.3	54.0	173.1	60.1	123.5	97.1	102.6	193.3	43.5	23.3	92.9	53.2	75.3	75.7
x1936-High	236.1	142.3	31.9	115.4	254.5	76.5	182.9	152.6	192.0	553.9	64.7	37.6	121.7	84.5	84.5	122.6
Low	180.2	102.0	16.5	79.5	216.5	65.6	145.2	122.8	123.6	371.2	50.6	28.1	108.8	63.2	76.6	98.6
1936																
September	200.6	113.6	20.3	93.9	220.6	70.6	162.5	138.2	149.7	488.1	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	79.7	119.5
October	212.3	127.3	24.4	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	162.6	519.3	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	80.6	126.9
November	219.9	140.4	27.5	107.0	233.4	74.4	179.6	143.6	178.3	546.2	62.4	34.6	116.5	81.8	84.5	131.8
1937																
January	222.0	156.3	37.2	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	94.4	137.4
February	228.8	163.4	36.7	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	96.7	142.4
March	241.7	168.3	40.2	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	95.9	147.2
April	224.1	157.5	47.1	117.4	230.4	79.9	182.4	133.4	204.8	538.9	64.1	35.0	122.0	85.1	94.0	136.2
May	216.4	151.3	38.5	109.4	229.6	77.5	178.5	128.4	188.4	525.8	63.0	32.8	124.7	84.0	92.7	132.2
June	210.1	148.1	38.2	103.7	220.2	77.7	177.7	131.0	179.6	510.8	63.2	32.3	127.3	84.1	92.3	129.4
July	217.8	148.0	40.5	102.0	222.6	79.7	182.1	136.1	188.7	547.4	63.9	29.7	128.0	88.0	90.2	133.0
August	221.6	151.2	40.4	95.2	223.6	79.5	182.0	136.9	192.7	564.2	65.2	29.9	128.7	90.4	89.9	135.2
September	193.3	122.8	29.3	89.1	205.3	73.3	167.9	118.3	159.4	470.5	57.4	24.8	126.6	78.6	84.9	118.9
October	170.3	104.3	22.5	69.9	192.0	68.0	154.1	105.6	132.5	395.0	51.7	20.9	122.9	70.7	81.4	105.8
November	166.3	104.7	20.4	80.1	193.2	67.7	154.1	115.7	129.5	359.2	49.6	19.9	122.2	66.9	79.0	103.1
Weekly Index Numbers																
December 17, 1936	216.0	137.8	29.0	113.8	219.9	73.8	182.0	143.6	185.3	547.6	61.6	33.6	121.6	80.8	87.3	130.9
1937																
November 25	159.7	100.8	18.9	81.3	189.7	66.5	151.2	110.3	124.0	336.2	47.7	19.2	121.2	63.8	78.3	99.0
December 2	164.3	104.1	20.1	81.7	190.0	66.0	151.5	113.3	128.4	359.6	48.4	20.4	122.6	64.2	78.4	101.4
December 9	168.7	103.9	19.9	82.3	191.5	67.6	154.7	117.2	130.4	379.4	49.3	20.7	125.0	65.3	80.8	103.9
December 16	167.6	102.5	19.0	82.9	189.3	68.1	155.0	115.6	129.5	381.6	50.1	20.1	126.0	67.3	82.2	104.0

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SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE, DECEMBER 17-DECEMBER 23.
(1926=100)

INDUSTRIAL AND UTILITY COMMON STOCK PRICES

After an unsteady opening for the week ended December 23, Canadian common ock prices moved slightly higher in the next three days. A weak tendency was in evi- ce again at the close. Industrials registered a net gain for this period with in- trial mines leading the advance. Building materials exhibited consistent daily in- ases while machinery and equipment and milling also moved upward. In the utilities tion declines were general, headed by power and traction issues. Banks recorded a gain for the fourth successive week. The Investors' daily price index for industrial, lity and bank common stocks dropped fractionally from 104.9 on December 16 to 104.7 on ember 23. Industrials advanced 1.1 to 170.3 and banks 0.4 to 82.8 while utilities l 1.7 to 48.9.

MINING STOCK PRICES

Mining stock prices continued to advance during the week ended December 23 the general index of twenty-four mining issues moved upward from 132.3 for the week December 16 to 136.2 for the following week. Although declines appeared in the middle this period, stocks in both sections rallied later. The gold average was 115.8 on the sing day down 0.3 for the week. Base metals recorded a net gain of 9.6 points, rising 221.8 on December 23, with Noranda the outstanding feature. The index for this group now upon a par with that of three months ago after having recovered from a low of .7 on October 19. The weekly average index for the gold section mounted from 114.2 116.1 and base metals from 206.7 to 221.8.

LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long- m bond prices, on the base 1926=100, advanced from 115.3 for the week ending December to 115.8 for the week ending December 23. Demand was fairly good and, with offerings moderate volume, gains of ½ to ¾ of a point were usual. Westerns were easier, led by itobas which have shown notable declines since the first of the month. British Consols London were steady while the Dow-Jones average of high-grade United States bonds rose m 93.42 to 93.61. The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields fell from 67.9 the week ending December 16 to 67.0 for the week ending December 23. The average ghted yield of the issues used in this index was 3.27 as compared with 3.32 for the vious week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Advancing rates for the United States dollar have moved it from a discount 3/16 of one per cent. on November 19 to a premium of 1/8 of one per cent. on December 4 Most other currencies likewise continued to move against the Canadian dollar during past week. Fractional increases in sterling advanced Montreal rates to slightly ve $5.00 while the florin and belga were firm also. Spot quotations on French francs wed signs of unsteadiness but held close to 3.40 cents. Argentine peso free rates dec ned fractionally, and are currently about one cent under levels of a year ago.

Dates	DECEMBER 17	18	20	21	22	23	Weekly Average Dec.17 - 23	Preceding Weekly Average Dec.10 - 16	Corresponding Weekly Average Last Month	Weekly Average A Year Ago
INVESTORS' PRICE INDEX, 96 COMMON STOCKS	104.2	104.5	105.0	105.3	105.2	104.7	104.9	104.0	99.0	131.3
68 INDUSTRIALS	168.2	168.4	169.6	170.9	170.9	170.3	170.0	167.6	159.7	216.0
Machinery and Equipment (8)	102.5	102.7	104.6	105.8	104.7	104.7	104.5	102.5	100.8	137.4
Pulp and Paper (6)	18.9	18.8	18.9	18.4	18.3	17.7	18.4	19.0	18.9	29.2
Milling (4)	83.2	83.2	82.6	83.1	83.8	83.8	83.2	82.9	81.3	114.7
Oils (4)	188.3	186.8	186.7	187.2	187.1	187.2	187.2	189.3	189.7	218.3
Textiles and Clothing (10)	67.2	67.1	66.8	67.0	66.9	66.8	66.8	68.1	66.5	74.6
Food and Allied Products (13)	155.7	155.9	155.9	155.2	155.6	154.7	155.6	155.0	151.2	182.3
Beverages (7)	115.5	115.5	116.6	116.3	115.2	114.5	115.7	115.6	110.3	141.9
Building Materials (14)	129.7	130.4	132.2	134.8	136.2	136.6	134.0	129.5	124.0	188.1
Industrial Mines (2)	385.4	390.0	395.9	402.5	403.1	399.9	398.1	381.6	336.2	551.5
19 UTILITIES	50.2	50.3	50.5	49.7	49.2	48.9	49.9	50.1	47.7	62.1
Transportation (2)	19.8	20.1	20.0	20.0	19.8	18.8	19.7	20.1	19.2	33.8
Telephone & Telegraph (2)	126.0	126.2	126.2	125.8	125.1	125.8	125.9	126.0	121.2	121.7
Power and Traction (15)	67.8	67.9	68.3	66.6	65.9	66.1	67.2	67.3	63.8	81.5
9 BANKS	82.3	82.7	82.5	82.5	83.3	82.8	82.7	82.2	78.3	89.5
MINING STOCK PRICE INDEX, 24 STOCKS	135.7	136.4	136.8	135.9	136.5	136.6	136.2	132.3	126.4	167.7
Gold Stocks (21)	116.6	116.7	115.5	115.0	115.5	115.8	116.1	114.2	112.4	130.4
Base Metals (3)	214.2	216.9	224.3	221.7	223.0	221.8	221.8	206.7	183.1	321.8
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICE INDEX	115.6	115.6	115.8	115.8	115.9	116.0	115.8	115.3	114.9	118.3
DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELD INDEX	67.5	67.4	67.0	66.9	66.8	66.7	67.0	67.9	68.8	63.9
FOREIGN EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS[x] - NOON RATES AT MONTREAL										
Sterling	4.9987	5.0006	5.0022	5.0028	5.0025	5.0037	5.0018	4.9984	4.9956	4.9066
U.S. dollars	1.0005	1.0006	1.0009	1.0009	1.0009	1.0011	1.0008	1.0001	.9987	.9991
French franc	.0340	.0340	.0340	.0340	.0340	.0340	.0340	.0340	.0340	.0467
Belgian belga	.1700	.1700	.1701	.1701	.1700	.1699	.1700	.1700	.1699	.1688
Netherlands florin	.5562	.5563	.5565	.5563	.5564	.5564	.5564	.5563	.5546	.5469
Japanese yen	.2909	.2914	.2911	.2911	.2911	.2911	.2911	.2910	.2911	.2855
Australian pound	3.9990	4.0005	4.0017	4.0022	4.0019	4.0030	4.0014	4.0000	3.9965	3.9253
Argentine peso - free rate	.2931	-	.2923	.2923	.2928	.2928	.2927	.2934	.2936	.3044

x Bank of Canada.

INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY-FOUR MINING STOCKS
(1926=100)

Number of Stocks 1937	Gold 21	Base Metal 3	Total Index 24
x1928 - High	137.2	322.2	138.6
Low	75.4	105.7	107.3
x1929 - High	89.7	318.0	127.9
Low	52.7	157.3	72.6
x1930 - High	66.7	203.1	88.3
Low	53.3	56.4	56.7
x1931 - High	79.5	108.3	85.4
Low	54.4	49.9	54.8
x1932 - High	63.1	82.3	64.8
Low	48.5	42.5	46.8
x1933 - High	111.9	144.1	116.7
Low	64.9	68.2	65.1
x1934 - High	140.1	167.6	143.3
Low	103.1	125.0	107.3
x1935 - High	131.2	211.7	136.7
Low	104.7	128.6	114.9
x1936 - High	136.2	322.1	170.3
Low	118.3	205.5	135.4
1936			
September	131.2	267.1	157.6
October	126.4	289.4	158.2
November	131.8	312.5	167.0
December	131.3	317.8	167.7
1937			
nuary	137.5	329.6	174.6
February	139.4	344.8	177.2
March	133.0	340.5	172.6
pril	120.0	288.0	154.1
ay	111.3	269.3	142.1
une	105.9	255.0	134.7
uly	109.2	278.9	141.8
ugust	112.5	287.4	146.2
eptember	103.5	224.5	127.6
ctober	104.3	192.4	121.6
ovember	113.8	192.4	129.4
eekly Index Numbers			
eek ending Nov. 4th	111.9	200.1	129.1
" " " 11th	115.6	191.3	130.7
" " " 18th	113.2	200.5	130.3
" " " 25th	112.4	183.1	126.4
" " Dec. 2nd	113.5	198.1	130.1
" " " 9th	114.1	207.5	132.3
" " " 16th	114.2	206.7	132.3
" " " 23rd	116.1	221.8	136.2

Weekly figures.